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"FIRST IN EVERYTHING."

SENATORS ARE
TAKE TO TASK
BY ROOSEVELT

President Writes to Cullom Severely Criticizing Abridgment of His Power in Making of Arbitration Agreements.

SAYS LAWMAKERS HAVE
MADE SITUATION WORSE

Upper House Committee's Action in Retaining for Senate Alone Treaty-Making Power Subject of Executive's Disapproval.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 11.—President Roosevelt took the Senate sharply to task in a letter to Senator Cullom, I. learn that the latter in executive session today, for the amendment made by the foreign relations committee in the pending arbitration treaties between this and foreign governments.

The letter, to which the senators listened in considerable surprise, is as follows: "My dear Senator Cullom: I learn that the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations has reported the arbitration treaties to the Senate, amending them by substituting for the word 'agreement' in the second article, the word 'treaty'.

"The effect of the amendment is to make it no longer possible, as between its contracting parties, to submit any matter whatever to arbitration without first obtaining a special treaty to cover the case. This will not constitute a step forward, but a step backward.

"If the word 'agreement' were retained, it would be possible for the Department of State to do, as for instance, it has already done, under the Hague treaty in the Plus Fund arbitration case with Mexico and submit to arbitration such subordinate matters as by treaty the Senate had decided could be left to the executive to submit under a jurisdiction limited by the general treaty of arbitration.

"If the word 'treaty' be substituted the result is that every such agreement must be submitted to the Senate; and these general arbitration treaties would then cease to be such, and indeed, in their amended form, they amount to a specific pronouncement against the whole principle of general arbitration treaties.

Admits Senates Power.
The Senate has, of course, the absolute right to reject or amend in any way it sees fit my treaty laid before it, and it is clearly the duty of the Senate to take any step which in the exercise of its prerogative it deems to be for the interest of the nation.

"If, however, in the judgment of the President, a given amendment nullifies a proposed treaty, it is the duty of the President to less clearly his duty to refrain from endeavoring to secure a ratification, by the other contracting power or powers, of the amended treaty; and after much thought I have come to the conclusion that I ought to write to you to the effect that such is my judgment in this case.

"As amended, we would have a treaty of arbitration which would be a mere formality, to enter into arbitration treaties, for even if such amendments were secured, we would remain practically where we were before, save where the situation may be changed a little for the worse.

Thinks Situation Worse.
There would not even be the slight benefit that might obtain from the more general statement of the President's position when we come to an agreement with foreign powers as to what shall be submitted to arbitration. Inasmuch as we have already, when we ratified the Hague treaty, solemnly declared that we intended to adhere to the principle of arbitration, and nothing is gained by reiterating our adherence to the principle of arbitration, and nothing is gained by making our intention effective.

"In the amended form the treaties contain nothing except such expression of barren intention, and indeed, as compared with what has already been provided for in the Hague arbitration treaty, they probably present not a step forward, but a step backward, as regards the question of international arbitration.

President Is Scored.

When the reading had been concluded, Senator Morgan took the floor and making the President's letter the text of his remarks, proceeded with a sharp criticism of executive interference with the Senate in making of treaties.

He spoke of the letter as another evidence of the President's tendency toward the usurpation of the senatorial prerogative, and said that the President had no right to interfere with the Senate's consideration of the subject.

Sensor Spooner took issue with the President, making strong contention for the preservation of the senatorial prerogative, and insisting the agreement reference to the Plus fund, which should, he asserted, have been presented to the Senate.

Senators Forester and Lodge took the same view, the latter being especially strong in supporting the committee amendment, and insisting that, with all due regard to the President, it was for the Senate to determine its rights and to support its prerogatives.

Lawmakers Are Angry.

The Senate in executive session late yesterday afternoon, when Senator Spooner, on the gridiron, and roared him to a turn. His action in the San Domingo matter was discussed at length.

Albert B. Hunter, Jr., Weds.

DOG ROAMING
NEIGHBORHOOD
BITES CHILDREN

Pet Spaniel Attacks Six Play-mates Walking Along Street, Inflicting Wounds Doctors Say Are Dangerous.

RUSHES AT POLICEMAN,
WHO SHOOTS HIM

Although Bitten on Hands and Wrists Patrolman Draws Revolver and Kills Animal, Gift of Stranger to Boy.

Great excitement prevails in the vicinity of Bacon and Montgomery streets over the biting of three little girls, a little boy, a policeman and a dog Friday noon by a pet spaniel, belonging to Raymond Tharp, 16 years old, of 234 Bacon street.

The little girls were bitten severely, and the result of their wounds is anxiously awaited.

The little girls who were bitten are Mary and Elizabeth Dunn, 14 and 12 years old respectively, who live at 254 North Garrison avenue, and Veronica Glenville, 5 years old, who lives at 247 Bacon street.

Mary and Elizabeth Dunn go to St. Teresa's School at Grand avenue and North Market street. When school was dismissed at noon Friday they left for home, in the company of Mary Rider, who lives on Bacon street, near Montgomery, and Catherine Kennedy and Mary Tighe.

They walked east on Montgomery street to Bacon and then north to the gate into the grounds of the Mullaphy Hospital, which they proposed to cross in a short cut for home.

They had said good-by to Mary Rider, who was to part with them there, and were about to enter the gate, when Raymond Tharp's pet spaniel came running toward them.

All the girls knew the dog and had often played with him on the street, so they spoke to him.

Without giving them a sign of recognition the dog ran at Mary Dunn and bit her in the calf of the leg.

The little girl screamed, but was so frightened she could not run. The other girls began screaming also, and Elizabeth Dunn started to run back on Bacon street toward Montgomery.

The dog took her by the leg, growling savagely, and fastened his teeth in her leg. When he released his hold Elizabeth fell to the ground and the dog sprang upon and bit her twice more.

Muff as Weapon.
Catherine Kennedy courageously ran after the dog and as it sprang upon Elizabeth began to beat it with her muff.

The dog turned, snarling and showing his teeth. Then she threw the muff at him and, helping Elizabeth to her feet, they ran away.

The dog tore the muff into pieces with his teeth.

The girls ran through the gate across the Mullaphy Hospital grounds to their home.

After destroying the muff the dog ran across the street to his home.

Raymond Tharp was starting out of the back gate to go to a bakery at Grand avenue and Montgomery street for his mother.

He whistled to the dog and they went south on the west side of Bacon street. On the sidewalk in front of the Glenville home foot little Veronica at play. The dog sprang upon her, barking and growling. At first the little girl was not greatly frightened for she knew the dog. But as he persisted in jumping at her face she backed up against the gate, which she vainly tried to open.

"He's Only Playing."

Raymond called to her not to be frightened, that the dog was only playing and would bite her. He then ran to the dog and tried to pull him away from the little girl, but he fought the boy off, bit the girl twice in the leg.

Mrs. Glenville heard the child's screams, rushed out of the house and carried her back to her home.

Raymond, greatly frightened at the conduct of the dog, ran home, the dog following him, and told his mother what had occurred.

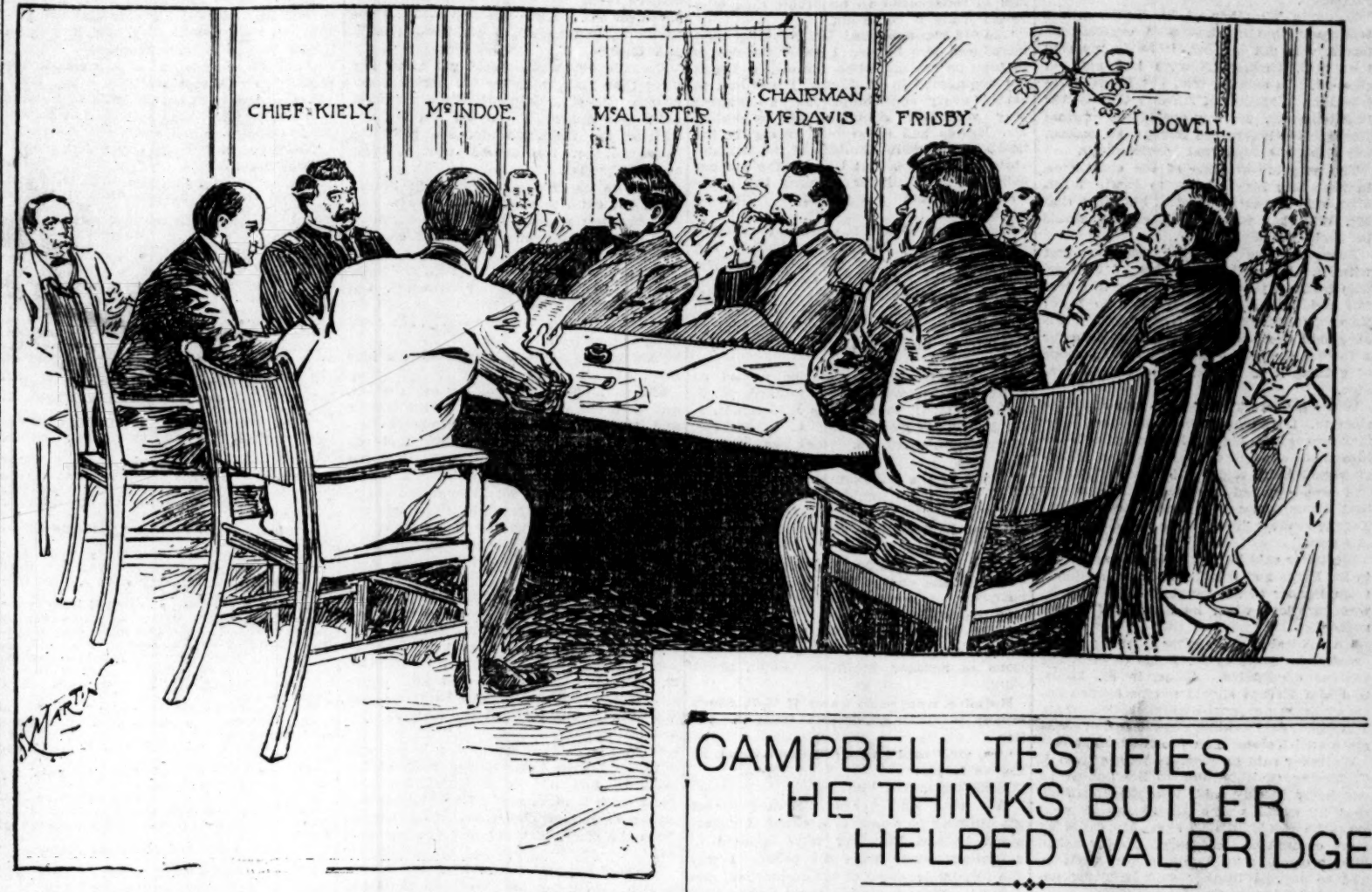
Meanwhile the screams of the children had aroused the neighborhood.

Mrs. Dunn sent a boy to find a policeman. He met Patrolman Coffey, who started immediately for the Tharp home.

When the dog saw the policeman, he sprang forward, dragging the rope by which Mrs. Tharp held him from her hand. Policeman Coffey was trying to get his revolver from his holster under his heavy overcoat, and was not prepared for the attack. Before he could defend himself he was severely bitten in several places on the left wrist and hand.

While the dog continued to leap at him he shouted to everyone to stand out of the way. When the dog was not more than a head and killing it instantly.

After the dog had been killed it was learned that he had bitten others before. He was passing the Tharp residence.

Senate Investigating Committee Hearing the Story of
Assessments of St. Louis Policemen for Campaign FundCASINO THEATER
PARTLY BURNED;
CHORUS IN PANIC

Historic New York Playhouse Damaged to Extent of \$50,000 During Rehearsal—Forty Girls Have Narrow Escape.

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—The Casino Theater, one of the most historic of the New York playhouses and the scene of the production of many famous light operas, was the scene of the production of a new farce, "The Teazle," which was the scene of a \$50,000 fire today.

The blaze began in a dressing room on the third floor over the stage, while a rehearsal was in progress. The members of the company escaped unharmed, with the exception of one chorus girl, who fell while going down the stairs of the stage entrance and was painfully, but not dangerously, hurt.

There were no spectators in the theater when the fire broke out. Two hours later the building would have been occupied by an audience composed principally of women and children. As it was the chorus girls had some difficulty in escaping. The exit of an audience under similar conditions would have been hampered by the fact that the main entrance is by a winding staircase.

The Casino is at the corner of Thirty-ninth street and Broadway, in the very heart of the theater and hotel district, and with the first burst of flame and smoke went into the third-story windows, a tremendous throng gathered in Broadway for blocks in both directions, stalling all traffic and hampering the efforts of the firemen.

Chorus in Panic.

The house is at present under the management of Sam S. and Lee Shubert. The "Ladies Teazle" company is headed by Lilian Russell, but she was not in the theater at the time of the fire. The chorus girls, about 40 in number, were rehearsing in costume and were crowding up a narrow stairway to a dressing room on the third floor above the stage when the flame and smoke from the dressing room drove them back.

A warrant was issued Saturday morning, charging Lloyd Talbot of 216 Easton avenue with carrying concealed weapons. Talbot was arrested Friday night in front of a mission hall at 129 Franklin avenue where he was passing up and down the sidewalk, threatening to kill a man who he said was in the mission hall, attending the service, with Talbot's sweetheart, and whose name Talbot said was T. F. Mann of 211 St. Charles street.

Officer Maher was called by a passerby and after arresting Talbot had to take him to the City Dispensary to have a wound in his head treated, gotten when Talbot tried to break away as he was being led to the patrol box.

DEED FILED FOR
\$1,250,000 FOR
LINDELL HOTEL

L. E. Anderson, President of Emporium Realty Co., Takes Over Property Personally for the Present.

The deal for the sale of the Lindell Hotel property, of the pendency of which the Post-Dispatch told exclusively Thursday, was completed Saturday, and the deed of transfer was filed in the office of the recorder of deeds.

The price paid for the property is \$1,250,000. There is a deed of trust on it for \$400,000. The Mercantile Trust Co. gave its check for \$850,000 in payment of the difference between the amount of the deed of trust and the price of the property.

The purchase is made in the name of L. E. Anderson, vice-president of the Mercantile Trust Co. and president of the Emporium Realty Co. It is later to pass into the hands of the Emporium company. What the final disposition of it is to be has not been determined. The lease under which the property is being used as a hotel has five years to run.

The property was acquired from the Washington Real Estate Co., of which Charles Parsons is president.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.

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CAMPBELL TESTIFIES
HE THINKS BUTLER
HELPED WALBRIDGE

Brought Out by State Investigators That the Broker Gave "Col. Ed" \$3500 at His Request—Secretary to Chief Kiely Reveals the Inside Details of Police Assessment, the Order Being Sent Out by Dr. Faulkner to Captains.

William R. Faulkner, Jr., private secretary to Chief of Police Kiely and a son of Dr. W. R. Faulkner, superintendent of police property, detailed to the Senate investigating committee Saturday morning the manner in which political assessments have been made against the police department. He told of the orders given for collecting the money; the amount raised—\$30,000.60 at one collection and \$50 at another—and submitted the "schedule of assessments."

He said the order to raise the money from the police came from his father, who told him to notify the police department captains "as usual." Thereupon, he said, he sent out letters to each of the captains.

This letter was sent in August, and the captains were notified that the collections must be in by about Sept. 18. The letter was phrased as an order, and said "the usual collections will be taken up," and "the money will be turned over to Dr. Faulkner."

He gave this schedule of assessments in the police department as the usual one: Captains, \$25; Lieutenants, \$22.50; sergeants, \$20.70; patrolmen, \$18.20; probationary patrolmen, \$17.70; Janitors, at \$20 a month, \$10.00; Janitors, at \$50 a month, \$9.00.

It is to be hoped you will turn in a larger subscription than ever before. Send same to W. R. Faulkner, Jr., secretary to chief of police, at Forest Park police station on the morning of Sept. 5, 1904, not later than 9 o'clock, and receive official receipt for amount collected.

Respectfully,
W. R. FAULKNER, Jr.,
General Manager Police Property.
P. S.—Emergency specials exempt.

state committee, explained the system of handling the funds.

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FAULKNER'S LETTER
"REQUESTING" FUNDS.

Captain: You will take up the usual voluntary subscription to be used for campaign purposes. Our collection heretofore has been:

Captain	\$25.00
Lieutenant	\$22.50
Sergeant	\$20.70
Patrolman	\$18.20
Probationary patrolman	\$17.70
Clerk	\$10.80
Turnkey	\$11.70
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He added, however, that he gave \$500 to Butler for campaign purposes, but did not know what Butler did with the money.

Senator McIndoe: Was Butler supporting either the Democratic or the Republican ticket?

Campbell: He had friends on both tickets.

"Did he give his support to the Democratic ticket?"

"You will have to ask him."

"In your judgment, whom did he support for governor?"

"I think he supported the Republican candidate."

Mr. Campbell said Col. Butler suggested the contribution and its amount.

T. R. Ballard, former police commissioner and treasurer of the Jefferson Club, said he contributed \$100 to the Democratic campaign fund. Senator McIndoe, Republican, attempted to ascertain if at a reception was made of the \$10,000 given by Dr. Faulkner and turned over to the committee, but Chairman McIndoe, 5, and against that line of questioning.

Faulkner said the money was not given to the Jefferson Club or any other club.

POLICE GIVING
HOCH ROPE TO
HANG HIMSELF

Bigamist Is Found to Talk More Freely With a Full Stomach and Best Is Furnished That Nearby Restaurants Afford.

CONVICTION OF MURDER
DEPENDS ON HIS TALK

Has Already Admitted Giving Wife Headache Powders and the Authorities Hope for Further Confessions From Their Guest.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—His good humor may be the downfall of Johann Hoch. He likes good living and the police know it, so the police are treating him more as a guest than a prisoner. When in good humor he will talk; sulky, he is like a clam and unless he talks Inspector Shipley admits there is little hope of convicting him of murder.

Last night Hoch slept on a soft bed in the women's department of the Chicago avenue police station. There was no bunk in a cell for him. Ordinary prison fare never reaches him. He orders what he wants from a restaurant for breakfast; at noon he is taken to a restaurant, guarded by two detectives. He eats his fill and goes back to the station willingly and once more is examined.

This treatment has resulted in the statement that he purchased headache powders for Mrs. Welker and gave them to her. Heretofore he has denied giving his wife anything. The admission, meager as it is, encouraged the police to continue the "guest" treatment.

Is Sure to Be Held.
It is now certain that when the coroner inquest over the body of Mrs. Mattie Welker Hoch is resumed Wednesday that Hoch will be held to the grand jury on the charge of murder. This will be the result of the chemical analysis which discovered arsenic in the dead woman's stomach. But the evidence is purely circumstantial.

"We already have sufficient evidence on which to hold Hoch to the grand jury," was the positive statement by Coroner Peter Hoffman this morning. "Do you mean on the charge of murder?"

"Well, of course, I cannot say on what charge the jury will return its verdict, but I will state that with the evidence already introduced and that which is yet forthcoming sufficient ground will be shown for holding the defendant."

The coroner said that he attached the most importance to the final report on the analysis of the internal organs of Marie Welker Hoch. This analysis had been conducted by Prof. Holmes of the University of Chicago. Dr. Hines, who attended Mrs. Welker Hoch, and Dr. Lawke, the coroner's physician.

The coroner's analysis thus far has established the fact that arsenic was found in the victim's stomach, but whether this was the direct cause of death cannot be established until the entire examination of other organs has been completed. A final and complete report is expected within a week from Chicago.

Hoch Gets Valentines.
Hoch has received two valentines. One bore the suggestive title, "My husband has just died," the other one tickled him. It bore the picture of a man with a halo. Across the top was printed the words: "I resist my personal charms. Women just do not do me." At the bottom of the card was printed, under the heading, "A Magnet Nite," the following verse:

All other donkeys you surpass;
What you have to make you vain
Beyond discovery must remain.
But your unfounded self-conceit
Has surely been completely
When shown the valentine Hoch laughed and remarked, "Well, I guess that is me, straight."

The police permitted reporters to see Hoch today. When the newspaper men finished their interview they knew about as much as when they began.

"How many wives have you had here?" Hoch was asked.

"I never kept count of them. I did not say any of it, he replied.

"Do you admit having 10 or more wives?" "Can you suggest their names?" replied Hoch.

The list containing the names of Hoch's 10 alleged wives was handed him. He glanced at it and then returned it without saying anything.

"Have you married more of those mentioned in the list?"

"Who told you I married any of those?"

"Would you mind telling the place where you have been?"

You fellows and Inspector Shipley know more about that than I. I will not talk about those things."

ANOTHER COLD WAVE COMING
The rapid change variety of weather is now on tap. Friday night the temperature rose and Saturday morning it was almost agreeable compared to previous conditions.

Saturday night and Sunday the snow will fly again and will be followed by another cold wave which will arrive some time Sunday.

The official prediction is:

"Snow, probably heavy, tonight and Sunday. A cold wave, with a minimum temperature tonight 10 to 15 degrees above zero."

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NIEDRINGHAUS' PROPS WEAKEN; BREAK SIGHTED

Expectation Is That the Deadlock in Senatorial Contest at Jefferson City Will Be Broken by Wednesday.

REPUBLICANS MEET, BUT SELECT NO CANDIDATE

Another Conference Is Called for Monday Night, When It Is Expected Definite Plans to Settle Contest Will Be Made.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 11.—The Niedringhaus forces are gradually weakening and politicians say it is now only a question of a few days when the Republican members of the Assembly, or at least a vast majority of them, will turn to some candidate other than Thomas K. Niedringhaus or Richard Kerens for United States senator.

Some of Mr. Niedringhaus' friends say they will never leave him, no matter what the party organization decides, nor what the sentiment of the other members of the Legislature may be with respect to a settlement of the contest.

The Kerens bolters held a conference last night, but reached no decision as to what course they will pursue next week.

A number of legislators who have been voting for Mr. Niedringhaus also met at the capitol, but did nothing in view of the large number of absentees.

There will be another meeting of Republican members Monday night, when it is expected a definite plan to break the deadlock will be proposed. By Wednesday of next week it is believed there will be a complete change in the situation.

Tuesday, however, a number of Republicans intend to leave Niedringhaus, but just how many is uncertain.

Some of the Kerens bolters may also vote for somebody else at that time. Just now the Kerens men are lending all the aid and comfort they can to the Democratic party. They vote with the Democrats on nearly all questions and are to be made in no doubt as to whether they will get the vote of their own party in the inevitable appeal to one of the Kerens obstructionists for help.

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Lively Bidding on School Work. Bids will be opened by the building committee of the Board of Education at its meeting Tuesday night for a new Shields school building, an addition to the Desha school and improvements to be made in the equipment of the McKinley High School. A lively competition has been revealed by the number of bids received, and the lowest will be accepted in each case. It is hoped that all of the work will be completed by next September.

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POLICE WERE ORDERED TO PAY

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resumed its inquiry Saturday morning. John Spullin was conspicuous among waiting witnesses.

A subpoena was issued for him Friday after Judge Franklin Perkins had testified that Spullin, a brother of the Democratic city marshal, had furnished the \$2000 he (Perkins) contributed to the Walbridge campaign.

Representative Whitaker of St. Louis, whose testimony was awaited with especial interest, was not present, it being reported that Maj. Emmett Newton had not yet succeeded in serving him, but Representative John Whitaker of Hickory County was in attendance. He was one of the original Kerens men before the Republican caucus, but since has supported Niedringhaus.

The sergeant-at-arms of the committee, in reporting his inability to locate Whitaker, said it was reported at his office that Mr. Whitaker was in Chicago and would be back Monday.

Representative Whitaker was the first witness. He said Judge Cox of Bolivar, who testified yesterday, called on him last fall and indicated his opposition to R. C. Kerens, seemingly preferring Parker. Whitaker said Cox said he was a candidate for a federal judgeship and had little hope of getting it if Kerens were elected senator.

Whitaker said T. J. Akins, soon after the election, telephoned him from his home in Humansville, eight miles away, and discussed the candidates over the wire. Whitaker said Akins told him he favored Parker and was opposed to Kerens. He stated that Akins declared it wouldn't do to elect Kerens senator "because he was a commercial man."

Whitaker said he met Akins subsequently in St. Louis and found Akins had switched from Parker to Niedringhaus. He said he was surprised when he learned of Akins' switch.

Mr. Whitaker said, after learning of the change, he came to St. Louis to meet the various candidates. Akins, in St. Louis, told him Kerens should not be elected because he is an anti-administration man. Whitaker said Akins' conversation was more anti-Kerens than pro-Niedringhaus.

Whitaker said he received letters from J. C. McCoy inviting him to St. Louis. One letter McCoy said, Whitaker testified, that he would prefer not to say by mail what he would like to say. He wrote on state committee stationery. McCoy asked him to come to St. Louis to hear what he had to say. Whitaker said he never ascertained what McCoy meant.

Mr. Whitaker said so far as he could observe the federal officeholders of Missouri were for Niedringhaus.

Whitaker said Akins told him over the telephone that it might be necessary to keep some of the Republican members out of the caucus as it would not do for Mr. Kerens to be elected under any circumstances. But he said he hoped this would not be necessary.

E. A. Allen of Linn County, member of Republican state committee, followed Whitaker. Allen said he was a district organizer in the last campaign. But that his personal expenses were only \$46. Allen said he handled no other campaign work. He was sent to Linn County, but was expelled by Dr. A. C. Pettijohn.

Allen said offers were made to Dr. Pettijohn that if he would desert Kerens the Niedringhaus men would vote for him for speaker. In response to a question, Allen said he would think that Pettijohn's support of Kerens cost him the speakership.

Chairman Evans' Testimony. Judge W. N. Evans of West Plains, chairman of the Democratic state committee, was the next witness. He was shown a copy of the report of Treasurer Lemp and asked to explain certain entries. First he was questioned about an entry of \$700 credited to V. J. Reburn as "collections." Evans said Congressman Vandiver had charge of collections from state candidates.

"Judge Reburn was notified like the others by Vandiver," Evans testified, "but Reburn said he wouldn't contribute anything personally. But he said he had some friends across the river or somewhere who might contribute for him. Later he gave Vandiver the \$700 representing the amount he collected."

Evans said Vandiver notified the candidate for Supreme Court that he should contribute \$1500 and the state office candidates \$1000 each. Some paid, he said. Others did not, paying instead what they preferred.

Evans testified further that he wrote to the heads of all state institutions that he desired a voluntary contribution from them and any of their subordinates that might join. In return, Judge Evans said, he sent a receipt and notified the state treasurer from whom the money came.

Evans said he and Vandiver couldn't agree on the collection of money from policemen and other state employees, and said: "I decided to take up the matter myself."

Evans said he believes contributions should be made to a party campaign fund by every person holding office by reason of the supremacy of such political party.

Evans in amplification said he wrote to the head of every institution headed by a Democrat.

"Do you mean to say there are any state institutions headed by a Republican?"

"Well, I found the State University largely dominated by Republicans. We didn't get much help there."

"Is President Jesse a Republican?" asked

Senator McIndoe.

"Well, he has Republican tendencies," replied Evans, emphatically. "And I want to add that we found other men who have contributed to the Democratic campaign funds in other years who wouldn't help us this year."

Evans said he had written A. C. Stewart, who afterward was named police commissioner, for contributions and had received \$300.

In regard to collections from the St. Louis police, Judge Evans said:

How Police Contributed. "I went to Harry Hawes and asked him to take up the matter of having the St. Louis vote registered. He intimated to me that it would be very expensive. I asked him to recommend an honorable man who would make a collection."

"Hawes recommended Dr. Faulkner and introduced him to me. I asked the doctor to take up the collection for me, as I was not acquainted in St. Louis. I told him to assure every contributor that we wanted only voluntary contributions. Meanwhile Hawes had led to a question of the city and state committees, that I divide the amount collected by Faulkner between the state committee and the Jefferson Club. I agreed."

"I received \$20,000, the amount collected by Faulkner. I turned over half to Mr. Ballard, treasurer of the Jefferson Club, and the other half to Mr. Lemp."

Later Dr. Faulkner gave me additional collections. They represented various small contributions from Richard Hanlon, Al Richardson and others. The amount was \$50 in all."

In response to questions he named as other contributors: T. B. Ballard, T. J. Quinn, Wm. G. Frye, Philip A. Schmidt, J. M. Selzer, Andrew Blong, A. C. Stever, Meyer-Banerman Co. None gave more than \$100.

"Some of the Democratic city committee is all right, but I wouldn't risk it all," said Evans in reply to a question from McIndoe whether he feared to trust the city committee.

Judge Evans said he wanted the Jefferson Club to take charge of it because he had complete confidence in Harry Hawes' honesty and ability.

Judge Evans made a hit with the Democrats present by his replies to the questions of Senator McIndoe (Rep.), asked Folk.

McIndoe wanted to know if Folk knew money was being collected from the police.

"No, sir," said Evans; "I don't think he knows it yet."

"Didn't you tell him?"

"No, sir," said Evans; "It was none of his business or Vandiver's, either. I understood he and Vandiver were opposed to collecting money from the police. I was the responsible head of the committee, and I believe such methods are all right. So I just went ahead on my own hook."

Evans said he knew nothing of letters being sent out by the chief of police to captains, asking contributions. He said he hardly knew the chief of police.

Judge Evans submitted a list of expenditures, giving the names of men to whom payment was made and the amounts.

He said when the campaign began there was no money in the treasury, and Nelson W. McIndoe paid the expenses for awhile.

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\$8000 BOND GIVEN BY GEORGE TURNER

George Turner, who was held for the April federal grand jury on a charge of passing counterfeit \$5 gold pieces, was released from custody Saturday after giving bond for \$8000.

One bond was for \$5000 and accepted by United States Commissioner Rabbitt. The other was for \$3000 to Commissioner Gray. They represent the bonds for all the separate charges against Turner.

The one made by Jenny Freeman, a clerk for the John Renz Confectionery Co. of 3400 Laclede avenue.

She secured the warrant Friday, alleging that Turner passed a spurious \$5 gold piece on her Jan. 8.

The bonds were procured through Turner's brother, William J. Turner, and were signed by the Missouri-Lincoln Trust Co.

"HUSBAND AND CROWD FOLLOWED HER HOME FROM PARK JEERING."

Mrs. Ella M. Randolph, Defendant in Divorce Suit, Tells of Meeting With W. H. How and Denies She Ever Made Love to Him.

He told of his wife's attack upon this door, and the arrest of both and their appearance in the City Hall Police Court.

He was asked concerning How, and said that he had learned that his wife and the grocerman were too friendly. He was asked if How was in the courtroom.

"Yes," he replied; "he is in a seat in the second row of spectators."

How promptly raised his hand and waved it slowly to and fro to signify that he was present and accounted for.

"Were you on friendly terms with How?" he was asked.

"Oh, as friendly as a man usually is with the man he buys his groceries from," he replied.

Mrs. Randolph, the mother, was the next witness. She told of numerous quarrels with her daughter-in-law, and admitted that they were not the best friends in the world.

She told of the quarrel over a rocking chair, a table and some chairs. When the wife came and could not get in, she went into the street, gathered up a rock and threw it through the door.

The husband, she said, was cut on the hand. Then both were arrested.

"What is your doctrine of the 'ego'?" asked Mrs. Randolph's attorney, Frank X. Bryan.

"The 'ego' is all," she replied. "I believe that no harm can come to me from outside."

"Is it not true," she was asked, "that your daughter-in-law could not understand your doctrine of the 'ego,' and that this failure to understand led to the quarrels between you?"

"No," she replied; "that made no difference."

She was asked if she was a "test medium," and replied that she was not; then she explained the definition of a "test medium."

"If I should see a spirit beside your chair," she said to Bryan; "she was leaning forward, and her hand was pointed toward the lawyer—and I should describe that spirit and you should recognize it as your dead brother"—Bryan looked around—"that would be the work of a 'test medium.'"

"She explained that to make 'tests' required constant practice, and was made a 'test medium' by the 'control' Red Wing," she was asked.

"No, sir," she replied, tartly; "but I cannot see that such a question has any bearing on my ability as a detective."

When quiet was restored in the courtroom, it was found that the attorney had terminated the cross-examination.

Dr. Randall of 422 Olive street testified that Mrs. Randolph, under the name of Mrs. Jacobs, applied to him for treatment Oct. 23, which, according to the evidence, her husband thought she was in.

The deposition of Mrs. Nannie B. Goggin of 236 Laclede avenue, proprietor of a rooming house, was read. It showed Mrs. Goggin testified that during October, 1904,

she delivered into her handbag and pulled out a quantity of long hair, which, she said, was the hair her husband pulled from her head.

The spectators giggled, and the sheriff rapped for order, while the judge scowled sternly.

"Did you ever make love to How?" she was asked.

She brought her fist down sharply on the arm of her chair.

"No, sir," she cried, emphatically.

The case, which was begun in Judge Taylor's division of the Circuit court, as was told in Friday's Post-Dispatch, was resumed Saturday morning. The interested grocer man, William H. How, against whom the husband has also brought a suit for \$25,000 damages for the alleged alienation of his wife's affections, was in court again, and close to the front, as on the first day of the trial. So was the husband's mother, Mrs. L. L. Randolph, an ordained spiritualist minister, graduate in medicine and lecturer, who testified concerning the ego; so was Miss Mary Sylvester, the woman detective; so was the husband; so was the wife.

Friday afternoon the husband told of his wife's alleged absences from home and his employment of Miss Sylvester as a detective to follow her. He also told of the barred door, which had been prepared at the family home, 4523A Wichita avenue, to prevent his wife from getting into the house on her return the night of Dec. 6.

"I'LL GIVE \$1000 FOR THAT BABY"

Stockman Makes Police Offer for Child Left in Union Station by Woman.

"I would give a cool thousand to have a sunbeam like that in my home," said Harry Wentzel, a Wyoming stockman, to Policeman Edward Collins at Union Station after he had sought permission to adopt a two weeks' old girl left in the women's waiting room at the station by a woman Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Clara Roach of Terre Haute, Ind., attracted the attention of Police Sergeant Dave Fields to the desertion of the baby, by her excited screams as she ran after the woman following the midway.

The woman escaped on a northbound Eighteenth street car.

Mrs. Roach told Sergeant Fields that the woman, a tall, slender brunette wearing a black skirt, white fascinator and a tan jacket, had been walking back and forth nervously with the crying baby, when suddenly she sat it down on a bench saying: "Now, darn you, cry."

As she turned to leave Mrs. Roach followed and the woman ran. Mrs. Roach ran and screamed and Sergeant Fields joined in the chase but did not catch the woman.

After the baby had been turned over to a patrolman to take to the Bethesda home, Mrs. Wentzel sought its adoption. He was unaccompanied by any of the women members of his family and was referred to the authorities of the Bethesda home by the police.

BARRACKS WINDOWS BROKEN

The explosion of heavy charges of dynamite by steamboatmen in an effort to keep the river open around their boats, broke windows in many of the buildings at Jefferson Barracks Friday.

After every window in the residence of Capt. W. C. Wright, an aid-de-camp on the staff of the commanding officer, was broken, Capt. Wright sent a squad of soldiers to the river bank and notified the steamboatmen that they must refrain from exploding dynamite in front of the barracks.

A number of steamboats are in winter quarters in front of the barracks and the crews fear damage to the vessels when the ice breaks, unless a clear space is maintained around them.

A couple giving their names as Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jacobs lived at her house for several days as man and wife.

Dec. 8 Mrs. Randolph came to her house and asked that Mrs. Goggin say nothing about her residence there under an assumed name and offered to pay her for withholding the information, and seemed greatly disappointed that Mrs. Goggin should not have been more discreet.

At a statement to the detectives, Mrs. Florence Padman of 626 Cook avenue and Mrs. Mary J. Ferris of 227B Laclede avenue, associates of Mrs. Randolph, mother of the plaintiff, testified as to a pleasant occurrence at the Randolph home on occasion of their calls there.

THIRD MURDER IS ADDED TO RECORD

Police Expect to Prove John Ryan or Rhyme Killed a Sheriff in Wisconsin.

It is expected by the police that John Ryan, known also as John Rhyme, identified as the murderer of Private Watchman John Mohr in St. Louis Aug. 19 last, will be proven to be the man who killed a sheriff in Wisconsin before his visit to St. Louis.

If this should be done, Ryan will take rank in police annals as one of the most desperate of present-day criminals, with a record of three murders. Under the name of William Myers, he is now in the Joliet, Ill., penitentiary serving a life sentence for the murder of the mayor of Mt. Carroll.

Ryan's record, as the police now have it, begins with the murder of the Wisconsin sheriff. He was escaping after the commission of a robbery, when the sheriff tried to arrest him. Ryan got the drop on the officer, killed him and got away.

Soon afterward he came to St. Louis and took a room at 2313 Olive street. Nearby was a restaurant, which he frequently patronized. Miss Ella Adams was a waitress at this restaurant, where previously he had exchanged an umbrella with Robert Oard for a Panama hat. Special Officer James W. Lynch attempted to arrest him, and was shot. Private Watchman Mohr hurried to the policeman's assistance and was killed. The robber and murderer, in the fight, dropped his Panama hat and escaped.

Ryan went to Fontana's saloon at Jefferson avenue and Olive street. He was bareheaded and excited. Peter Simoni, the bartender, gave him an old hat to supply the street car.

The Panama hat, marked with Oard's name, was identified and detectives found Ryan's rooming place when, after remaining in the city 20 hours after the murder, he had gone.

Soon after the murder in St. Louis, Ryan and a "pal" went to Mt. Carroll, Ill. A series of burglaries followed their arrival, and the chief of police and mayor attempted to arrest them. They opened fire on the officers and the mayor was killed. Ryan denied the robberies, but said he feared heavy punishment if arrested for them and shot the officers. He was sentenced under the name of Myers and his identity was not suspected until his photograph was seen by St. Louis officers.

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FRANK GOTCH

WON HIS BOUT
LAST NIGHT

BASEBALL

CARDINALS AND
BROWNS SHAPING UP

TAYLOR CASE

MAY AGAIN
BE DELAYED

TURF NEWS

GOTCH TURNS TO FIGHTING AND WINS

Champion Wrestler Defeats Canadian Heavyweight in Five Very Fast Rounds.

WILL NOW ENTER THE RING

Catch-as-Catch-Can Exponent Surprises His Friends by Exceedingly Clever Work.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Frank Gotch, the catch-as-catch-can champion stopped Sam Williams, a big Canadian heavyweight in the fifth round of what was to have been a 15-round try-out for Gotch at the Buffalo gymnasium here Friday afternoon. Gotch was boxing rather roughly in the fifth round when he soaked Williams a heavy punch, Williams was knocked down. When he fell his right arm twisted under him, his shoulder was sprained and the bout ended there. Gotch and Williams were pretty evenly matched. The two were to have put on the gloves before Gotch's match with Jenkins but the latter did not want to take chances of injuring his hands. The first round was tame. Neither hit hard, though Gotch did some pretty work. The second saw the two men mixing matters lively. Williams was clever. He jabbed nicely and his footwork was good, but he did not have anything on Gotch. The wrestler was fast as lightning on his feet. He was quick with his hands, and at ducking and sidestepping, he was far more clever than his admirers imagined. He blocked all of Williams' jabs in the third and kept after his man.

Gotch was all over Williams in the fourth round. He sailed in and tried to finish the go. He walloped Williams around the ring and had him in distress at the finish. The fifth was a stunner. Gotch had Williams tripping over his own feet. He never let up. He drove rights and lefts to the body that took all the steam out of his man. The two men were breaking away when Gotch hooked his right to the head, toppling Williams over and causing the injury which ended the contest.

After the bout Gotch said he was sorry he had hurt Williams. "The two are good friends," Gotch says, "he is going West to prepare for his ring advent. He left Buffalo after the fight for Chicago."

SPEED HORSES SOLD AT INDIANAPOLIS STOCKYARDS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 11.—Thirty-nine speed horses have been sold at the stockyards for a total of \$22,135. Among the most important sales:

J. P. Taylor, s. g., by Dispute, 2:15 1/2, dam by Creole, G. W. Curry, Trenton, Mo., \$1000; Star Vincent, h. a., by St. Vincent, 2:12 1/2, dam by Fairy Gift, 2:30, I. Baubart, Martinsville, Ind., \$1000; Verne B., trial 2:12 1/2, by James Monroe, Jr., dam by Princeton, G. W. Milkan, 2:12 1/2, h. g., \$1000; Coventry, Roy, trial 2:12 1/2, h. g., \$1000; Wilkes, 2:12 1/2, dam by Artemus, J. W. Plagier, New York, \$1000; Irene's Flower, 2:12 1/2, h. m., by Hodges, 2:25, dam by Hermit, 2:16, Foy & Gilmore, Mounts, W. Va., \$1000; Allen, trial 2:12 1/2, by Plute, dam by Kentucky Prince, A. H. Moon, Lancaster, Pa., \$2000; Joe Thomas, s. g., trial 2:12, by Kelly Thomas, 2:12, dam by Fire Clay, 2:30, W. F. Quade, Brooklyn, N. Y., \$2000.

JIU-JITSU COURSE FOR NAVAL FOOTBALL SQUAD

Special to the Post-Dispatch.—ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 11.—Most of the midshipmen who are members of the class in Judo, the advanced jiu-jitsu, under Mr. Yamashita, are the candidates for the football team next winter. A great part of the instruction consists of directions to avoid injuries in all kinds of physical contests and to move an opponent from his position. Most of these will be of great benefit in football. Mr. Yamashita is being assisted by Mr. Kitagaki, a Japanese youth who is preparing to enter the naval academy.

SAYRES AND NEARY FAIL TO SETTLE DISPUTE

Special to the Post-Dispatch.—MILWAUKEE, Feb. 11.—Maurice Sayres and Charles Neary went six rounds to a draw in a championship fight here last night. Sayres had a shade the best of it up to the last round, but Neary got strong in the sixth and got out with a draw.

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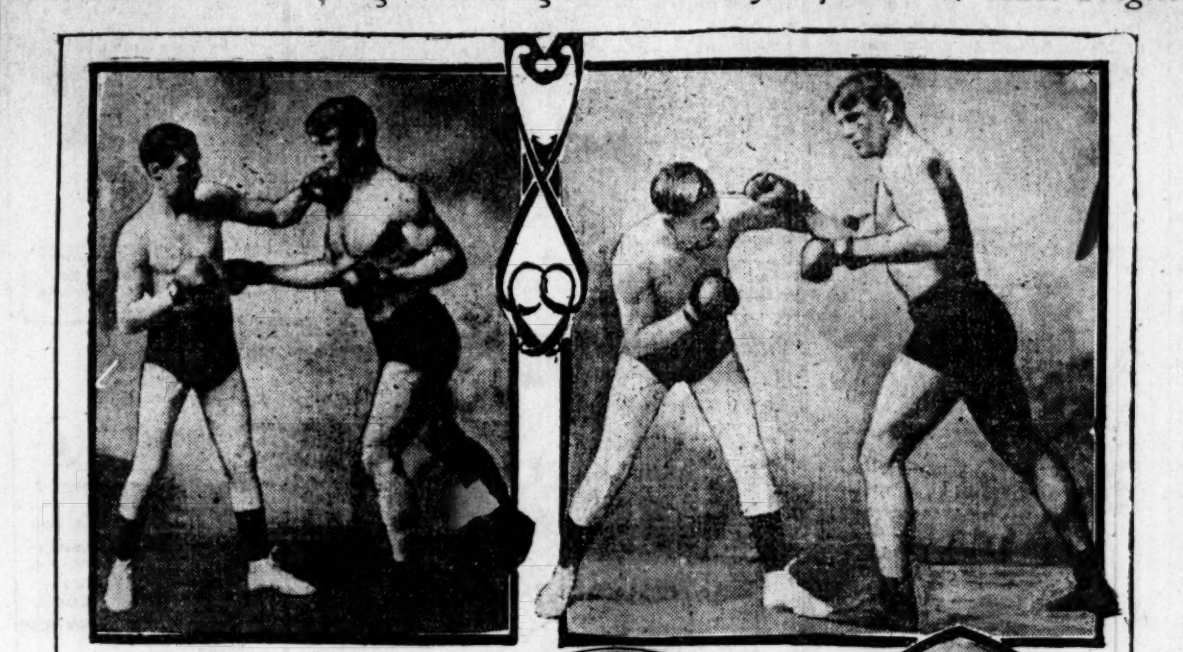
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TWO PHOTOS OF GOTCH IN ACTION

CHESBRO HAS A NEW CURVE

Great New York Twirler Says He Has Mastered "Jump Ball" or Upshoot.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—"Happy Jack" Chesbro of the Highlanders, the kingpin pitcher of the American League, has arrived in New York from his home in Conway, Mass.

Chesbro said he has a new ball with which to fool the hard-hitters of the American League, and which will put the famous spit ball in the shade.

"I have called this new ball the 'jump ball,'" he said, "because just before it reaches the batter it makes a sharp break and jumps or shoots upward. This is opposite the spit ball, which drops within two or three feet of the plate. I figure the new ball will be very deceptive and consequently hard to hit. Great speed and perfect command are necessary for its successful use."

"I have not quite mastered it yet, but I expect to have it under complete control before the opening of the season, and unless I am mistaken it will fool the best of the hitters. With the spit ball dropping around their heads, I don't know where some of them will get off. I have told many pitchers part of the secret of the spit ball, but the new-fangled 'jump' I will keep to myself. It looks good to me in practice, and if I can control it I expect to land many games by its use."

BATTLE FOR THE PENNANT TODAY

Manual and Central Tied for First Place in Interscholastic Basketball Race.

For the first time in the history of the Interscholastic League Manual Training School has a pennant within its grasp. The Orange and Black basketball team will face the Central Hall five Saturday afternoon in Louisiana Hall and the championship of the league will be decided.

The teams are tied for first place, with three games won and none lost. Both have defeated Smith Academy and this game will be the final one.

Central won the championship last year and has practically the same team this year, with the exception of Becker, who was graduated in January. Manual's team is a strong one and should put up a good contest. The game is announced for 3 o'clock with the following probable lineup:

Manual: Left guard, Lewis; Right guard, Helman; Left forward, Jones; Right forward, Jones; Center, Jones; Right guard, Jones; Left guard, Jones; Right guard, Jones.

COLLEGE GIRLS IN A DRILL

At Forest Park University Company of Students Go Through Evolutions Led by Army Lieutenants

United States army officers and representatives of foreign governments looked upon the regulation army rifle drill, given by 30 young women at Forest Park University Friday evening under the direction of Lieut. Clay Platt and Lieut. B. Reese, officers of the Philippine scouts on duty at the Philippine reservation on the World's Fair grounds.

The drill was given in connection with a reception tendered to the army officers and other guests, and took place in the large gymnasium of the university.

The young women were garbed in blue divided skirts and white shirtwaists—their regulation dress uniforms for gymnasium work. They carried wooden guns and their lines were led by Misses Harriet Worthington, Agnes Pfeffer, Selma Broll and Anna Kuhl.

In white and blue lines they advanced to their positions and gave the rifle drill with which the Philippine scouts charmed so many World's Fair guests.

The rifle drill was a conceit of Mrs. Anne Speed Cairns, president of the university, who had long wished that her gymnasium students might have the benefit of army discipline. The presence of the officers of the Philippine Scouts in the neighborhood of the university provided the opportunity.

She told her plans to Major Johnston. He commended them, saying that while he was unable to detail officers for that purpose he would be glad to place the matter before his men, and would readily grant permission to volunteers who would take up the drill. Lieut. Platt and Lieut. Reese were the volunteers.

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CROSS-COUNTRY SQUAD

Fast and Slow Runners to Be Separated for Outing.

Two packs will be formed from the cross-country squad which will have its second outing Sunday morning in Forest Park. Director Bassett of the M. A. C. who is conducting the series of runs to condition his men for the distance events to be contested in the spring, will separate the slow and the fast runners and regulate the distances.

Joe Forshaw, captain of the squad; Don Weir, Reuter, Rudolph, Weiss, Tillman, Gryncher and Harting will compose the fast squad, which will cover a five-mile course. Bassett himself will lead the accommodation pack, which will include Menges, E. McCloud, Faintner, Lloyd, Methady, Coddling, Parker, C. McCloud and Burke.

The men will start from the Triple A. at 8:30 o'clock at 10:30 o'clock. All local distance runners are invited to join the squad. St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes. "First in everything."

CONKLIN, AMATEUR BILLIARD CHAMPION

Defeats Sigourney in Extra Match Made Necessary by Tie in Tournament.

ALSO MAKES HIGHEST RUN

Gardner Finishes Third, Norris Fourth and Threshie Fifth—Handsome Jewelry Prizes.

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—In an extra match made necessary by the tie that resulted in the amateur billiard tournament, Charles F. Conklin of Chicago defeated William Sigourney of San Francisco Friday night, thereby becoming the amateur billiard champion of the United States. The score was 300 to 231.

In addition to the Brooklyn Eagle cup, emblematic of the national amateur championship, Conklin will receive jewelry valued at \$500. He will have to win the cup three times in different tournaments to retain permanent possession of it.

The Chicago man also won the prize for the highest run made during the tournament, his mark being 78. Conklin is tied with Gardner for the highest average prize and an extra game will be played Saturday to decide this honor. Both men averaged 11 3-27.

Second prize goes to Sigourney, who will receive a diamond ring valued at \$200. Gardner finished third and also made the highest grand average. Norris of New Threshie of Boston won fourth and fifth places, respectively. Handsome jewelry prizes were awarded for each honor.

The final game between Conklin and Sigourney lasted three hours. Conklin was so deliberate and careful that the play grew tiresome at times. Conklin secured the lead early, as March 11 never headed. The luck broke poorly for Sigourney on several occasions.

SPORT BRIEFS

Landes and Walker is the card for Saturday night's match in the House class A three-cushion tournament. Guy Singer defeated Bryant Friday night by a score of 55 to 20.

Tere Delaney, brother of the St. Louis University coach and until recently trainer at Northwestern University, has accepted an offer to take charge of the athletes at the University of Iowa. Delaney, who has been in the city for two weeks visiting his brother, Martin Delaney, will remain about two weeks longer before entering upon his new duties. Martin also has been named by the outside institution. He received an invitation Friday from the Central Y. M. C. A. of Chicago to referee games in the Central A. A. basketball championships, to be decided March 16 and 17 in Chicago. It is not likely that he will accept, however, as March 15 is the date set for the annual St. Louis University track meet. Martin Delaney refereed the Olympic basketball championships at the World's Fair last summer.

M. A. C. WINS AT BASKET BALL

Defeats Y. M. H. A. Team by Decisive Score.

The Y. M. H. A. regular basketball team proved to be no match for the Missouri A. C. five in their contest Friday evening in the club gymnasium. Bassett's men decisively by a score of 80 to 48. The M. A. C. team showed fine form and almost perfect team work enabled them to run up the large score.

In the preliminary game the Y. M. H. A. second team defeated the M. A. C. seconds after an exciting contest. The score was 17 to 14. The lineup:

M. A. C.: C. C. Schaeffer, r. f.; Neuman, l. f.; Klenner, c.; Waldman, r. g.; Neuman, l. g.; Pareria, c.; S. Goldman, r. g.; Steiner, l. f.

SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Physical Director Bassett of the Missouri A. C. has sent out entry blanks for the Western A. A. U. swimming championship, which will be held at the local club's tank March 4. The events will be a 100-yard, 100-yard and 220-yard and 440-yard distance. There also will be a special 100-yard event open to any amateur.

Entries will close Feb. 28. It is expected that ten teams from a number of outside institutions and many unattached swimmers will contest for the championships. F. J. Sullivan, director of swimming at the Central Y. M. C. A. of Chicago, has written that his crack Chicago man, will be on hand to meet Marquis Schwarz at 220 yards or Billy Ortlwein at 50 yards on the back in a special match.

DEVLIN HOLDS HIS OWN WITH FIGHTING JOHN ALLEN

Special to the Post-Dispatch.—PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 11.—Swelled with ambition because of his victory over Tommy Love a fortnight ago, Tommy Devlin, the pride of Fort Richmond, stacked up against what was considered the toughest proposition he has yet faced when he met "Fighting" Johnny Allen of north Pennsylvania at the Richmond Athletic Club last night. It was "bing," "biff," "bang" all the way through with the bulk of attention of both boys being devoted to the body. At the final bell both were at it hammer and tongs and the winner was a toss-up.

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BLACKBURN LOSES FIGHT AFTER WHIPPING WALKER

Special to the Post-Dispatch.—MT. CLEMENS, Mich., Feb. 11.—Before a crowded house Foster Walker met Harry T. Blackburn of Kentucky for the second time. From the beginning it was a slugging match. Blackburn took Walker to the floor under the negro's curious attacks. Blackburn, disgusted, walked to his corner. Walker was awarded the decision because Blackburn refused to continue.

CARDINALS TO HAVE NEARLY SAME INFIELD; NEW FACES FOR BROWNS

Manager Nichols to Have This Season the Advantage of Tried Team and One He Knows—Good Batters the Hope of McAleer.

In the usual "before the battle" talk handed out by Manager Nichols during his stopover in St. Louis Friday the chief of the Cardinals, of course, announced that the Browns would be left at the post, so to speak, when the two St. Louis major league clubs line up for their week's battle in April.

While no one can make any accurate estimate of the comparative strength of the two teams at this early date, Nichols is now in a position to know rather accurately the strength of the Cardinals. When he brings his men back from Martin Springs early in April the batting and fielding array of the National League club will probably present much the same front that it did when the finish came last year.

Nichols will have the advantage of a tried team and a team that he knows. He knows pretty well now what they can do and what they can't do. Whether he can spin them out to unusual efforts the spring series will show.

But even going along at the same old gait the Cardinals should be a much better team in the next race than they were last year. The infielders have played together for one season and their team-work should be much improved. It was individual and particularly collective weakness in the first line of defense that hurt the team badly in the season of 1901.

Nichols has refused to forecast his team or his captain, but no startling changes in the personnel of the infield is looked for. Jimmy Burke is authority for private information that Shay will positively be back for the spring training, despite the rumors of his intention to remain on the coast.

With Shay at short it is probable that Davy Brain will be used at third and Burke will play the bench as utility man. Farrell will probably be back at second and Beckley will guard the first cushion, though Nichols has not re-affirmed his expectancy.

This will give the Cardinals practically the same infield that they had last year; but they will now have the advantage of one season's work together. The outfield is more hazy, but it is practically certain that a trio of good fly-grabbers will guard the outworks.

On the whole, the Cardinals should be much stronger in the field this season than they were last. But the Browns will furnish the guessing contest.

Manager McAleer is gambling this year and he admits it. When it was working right there was no better fielding team than the old Browns; but even when backed by good pitching they could not win. It takes base-hits to win ball games in the end and McAleer was forced to break up a great fielding aggregation to gamble for a hitting one.

Whether he succeeds or not it was the only play he could make for the new year. Two successive seasons had shown beyond mistake that the Browns could not win as they stood and the weakness with the stick was the cause. They had plenty of opportunity and their great fielding will always be a baseball tradition in St. Louis, but they could not annex the necessary victories to get into a pennant race. Hence, they had to go; and this spring we will see new faces and worship strange gods out on Grand avenue when the Browns meet the Cardinals in the first battle.

McAleer and Hedges have burned gallons of midnight oil trying to get some batters by draft or purchase. They have a promising bunch of minor leaguers. If they make good the fans' dreams of two teams fighting up in the first division may be realized. If they flake as so many minor leaguers are wont to do, it will only mean one more year of disappointment and another gamble in the spring.

SULLIVAN FORCES BROAD TO THROW UP SPONGE

Special to the Post-Dispatch.—BALTIMORE, Feb. 11.—Kid Sullivan of Washington badly defeated Kid Broad of Cleveland badly before the Eureka Athletic Club last night. Broad was a badly injured man when Terry McGovern threw up his sponge in the eleventh round.

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GARTHA A ROMANCE OF
ST. LOUIS SOCIETY

By IVAN WHIN,

Author of "The Shadow Clue," "The Rise of Rose," "Benedicta" and "Myra."

This is a tale of the socially ambitious, of society's sets, the new rich and the old French. It will run in the Post-Dispatch exclusively, being completed on Next Sunday.

SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.
The John Graham Graeme has got into the upper circle of St. Louis society. Gartha Graeme is a debutante; Henry Harrison is in love with her. James Gordon, a married man old enough to be her father, takes her in his auto to a road-house near Forest Park. She runs away from him and is found hiding in the park by Harrison. Harrison threatens Gordon and kicks him publicly. Gordon leaves the city and Graeme plots with Harrison Gordon's financial ruin. Isaac de Beers plots the fight and in the ferry deal starts the downfall of Gordon's fortune. On the day his petition in bankruptcy is prepared Gordon is overturned with his auto on the bank of the Meramec river. Grace Fillington, Gartha's friend, sees the disaster.

CHAPTER VI.

GRACE FILLINGTON'S screams brought the party to the hilltop, whence they saw beneath them the broken machine.

Henry Harrison dashed down a circuitous path to the roadway and soon reached the scene of the disaster. A passing native assisted him in dragging from beneath the wreck the broken body of his enemy.

Life lingered in Gordon, a bare flicker which prompted medical attention gained by Harrison's rapid drive to Kirkwood fanned to a goodly fire. Crippled in body as he had been crippled in fortune, Gordon lived on, cared for by the wife he had so basely neglected in his prosperity. Her jewels and some bits of property that he had thrown to her when wealthy sufficed for their needs. Thus they passed from the world that had known them so well. As the Graemes had gone up they had gone down.

The first ambitions of Mrs. Graeme had been satisfied and, as is ever the case, a new ambition succeeded. She dreamed of a great marriage for Gartha. As she reviewed the eligibles in St. Louis society she could not fix upon one as an acceptable son-in-law.

Grown familiar with the circle she had fought so hard to enter Mrs. Graeme became in a way contemptuous of it.

Graeme was courted for his financial strength and his business power. The World's Fair set made much of him and he became a director of the great Exposition. This drew them into that round of pleasures provided for the bedazzlement of com-



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missioners from foreign and domestic states. At the Francis Sunday night symposium Mrs. Graeme met the new arrivals and Mrs. de Beers gathered the young titled attaches of the foreign commissioners for her Saturday evening informals.

Count de Ussas, fragile as a Dresden vase and as prettily colored entered the circle. He had come with the Austrian commissioner and bore the title, but none of the burden of secretary. He had no duties but his own pleasures. That he danced well, had an abundance of small talk and an intimate knowledge of ladies' gowns his new acquaintances soon learned. The girls in Mrs. de Beers' set accepted him with enthusiasm as a delightful novelty and petted him with easy freedom. None took him seriously. He was the toy, the fad of the moment. They learned that he was very rich, that his courtesy title would be eventually supplanted by another of great sound, entitling him to high precedence.

The men endured him with ill grace and many a watchful mother dreamed that he had selected her daughter as his wife. Mrs. Graeme courted him assiduously and much to John Graeme's disgust he became very much at home in their apartment. Gartha liked him as a novelty and treated him as she might a favorite spaniel, summoning him and dismissing him with entire disregard for what might be his personal feeling.

If it were possible for this fragile, feminine count to contain a grand passion, he was desperately in love with Gartha. He raved to her in French and German, he spluttered his admiration of her to her friends in bad English. His attachment was the joke of her set and Gartha smiled upon it, entirely aloof from all possibility of considering him seriously.

Mrs. Graeme chaffed at the girl's attitude and lectured her severely on her opportunity.

"His family stands next to the royal family of Austria," she said impressively. "Isn't it funny, mamma, that so great a family should produce such a pretty little doll of a man?" said Gartha lightly.

In the guise of his den Gartha sat on the arm of her father's chair and told him of her mother's pressure.

"The 'colonel' is set on your marrying that minnow," he said.

"I won't."

"It'll break her all up if you don't."

"We'll have to glue her together again. I won't marry any one but—"

"But—"

"Well, I won't marry Leo."

"But Harrison?"

Gartha blushed vividly. "I never said a word about Henry. There are dozens of fine Americans I'd rather marry."

"He's a pretty clean fellow for a foreigner," said the father. "Funny thing about it, too, he's rich. He don't need your money and you'd have no trouble managing him. Not half as much as the 'colonel' has had managing me."

"Oh, dear, are you in league against me? I tell you I won't! I won't!"

"There now, dearie. When the major's granddaughter and the colonel's daughter says she won't, I guess she won't."

"When John Graeme's daughter says she won't, she won't," Gartha said, savagely hugging the teasing parent and effectually forming a compact against the foreign contingent.

John Graeme had much to do to keep his feet in the succeeding weeks. He dared not, after all his years of yielding to his wife, take one ground against her.

directors with the colonel and papa thrown in.

"And just to think, great scribbler, we have gone along for months planning our house, planning our life together and never a declaration, never a proposal. Why, we have even selected the furniture for the house that isn't built."

"Will you, Gartha?"

"What would you say, great scribbler?"

He smiled and said nothing.

"Come," she commanded. "You writer of love stories, what would you say?"

The scribbler held up a page of a story on which he had been engaged.

"What would I say?" he asked. "Henry hasn't asked me, but if you were creatures of my imagination I would write 'Yes, and see 'The End' at the bottom of this page.'"

"But what should a really truly girl say to such a proposal?"

"What Gartha says."

The bright girl caught Henry Harrison's head in her arms and kissed him. Then she kissed the scribbler and ran away laughing.

Henry sat very still gazing at the doorway through which her flying skirts had fluttered.

"I would say that meant 'yes,' wouldn't you, Henry?" the scribbler asked.

"You think so?" he questioned softly and each other, forgetting that life is not a novel and that there are disasters against which love may not guard.

To Be Concluded in the Post-Dispatch Tomorrow.

LETTERS FROM READERS.

Mr. Ivan Whin:

Please tell us who the characters in Gartha are. Ignace's Church is St. Peter's, I am sure, and I think I know who Mrs. de Beers is. You promised to tell us who Rose was, but you did not do it. The answer is the Virginia Ferry Co. affair, isn't it? But I am told there was no such man as De Beers who describe on the winning side of that fight. Won't you satisfy

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To Ivan Whin: You ask readers to write letters to you about questions that are in your stories in the Post-Dispatch. I wrote you a long letter about Rose, but perhaps you had too many letters and could not print mine. Now, about "Gartha." I don't think you have told enough about her for anyone to know much of her.

The story should be called "The Rise of Mrs. Graeme." She will find it very dull in society. A woman should not waste herself on such ambitions. She should read and try to improve herself and have a nice circle of friends and try to make a happy home for her husband. "Gartha" had a very bad raising and if she is a nice girl it isn't because her mother knew how to raise her. * * * Such men as Gordon and worse are always lying in wait for young girls and the danger he took her into is not the only danger that the police should guard girls against. I was glad to see that he got his deserts.

FANNIE McIL.

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"Oh, for a Man, Firm and Loving."

—Maxim Gorky in "The Reader."

"You will agree with me that the duty of literature is to aid man in understanding himself, to raise his faith in himself, to develop his longing for truth; to combat what is bad in men; to find what is good in them, and to wake up in their souls shame, anger, courage—to do everything, in short, to render men strong in a noble sense of the word, and capable of inspiring their lives with the holy spirit of beauty. It seems to me, we need once more to have drama, pretty creations of our fancy and visions, because the life we have built up is poor in color, is dim and dull. * * * Well, let us try—perhaps imagination will help a man to rise above the earth and find his true place on it, which he has lost."

"Nothing but every-day life, every-day life, only every-day people, every-day thoughts and events. When will you, then, speak of 'the rebel spirit,' of the necessity of a new birth of the spirit? Where is, then, the calling to the creation of a new life? the lessons of courage? the words which give wings to the soul?"

"Confess you don't know how to represent life, so that your pictures of it shall provoke in man a redemptive spirit of shame and a burning desire of creating new forms of life. * * * Can you accelerate the pulsation of life? Can you inspire it with energy, as others have done?"

"I see many intelligent men round about me, but few noble ones among them, and these few are broken and suffering souls. I don't know why it should be so, but so it is; the better the man, the cleaner and the more honest his soul, the less energy he has, the more he suffers, and the harder is his life. * * * But although they suffer so much from feeling the want of something better, they have not the force to create it."

"One thing more, can you awake in man a laughter full of the joy of life, and at the same time elevating to the soul? Look—men have quite forgotten good, wholesome laughter!"

"The sense of life is not in self-satisfaction, after all; man is better than that. The sense of life is in the beauty and the force of striving toward some aim; every moment of being ought to have its higher aim. Wrath, hatred, shame, loathing, and, finally, a grim despair—these are the levers by means of which you may destroy everything on earth. What can you do to awake a thirst for life, when you only whine, sigh, moan, or coolly point out to man that he is nothing but dust?"

"Oh, for a man, firm and loving, with a burning heart and a powerful, all-embracing mind. In the stuffy atmosphere of shameful silence, his prophetic words would resound like a tocsin, and perhaps the mean souls of the living dead would shiver!"

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HER HANDS BURNED ON HOT STOVE

Little Girl's Condition Leads to
Arrest of Man With Whom
She Lived.

MANY BRUISES ON BODY

He Denies Accusations in War-
rant, Saying He Received Her
in Present Condition.

Mrs. Kate Gilpin of 1529 Division street, East St. Louis, on a warrant secured before Justice McKane charging him with assault and battery and burning the fingers of her little daughter, Peter Chartrand, was arrested at his farm near Kahokia Friday night by Sheriff Cappel and locked up in jail in East St. Louis.

Mrs. Gilpin has several children and, being unable to properly care for them all, expressed a desire to have some of them adopted by neighbors.

Chartrand, who is 22 years old and married, applied for one of the children, saying that he would care for it and rear it.

Emma, 6 years old, was sent to his home. One day recently Mrs. Gilpin's sister heard cries from her front door, accompanied by feeble knocks. She opened the door and saw the child, thinly clad and almost frozen, standing on the steps. Her eyes were blacked and bloodshot and her face bruised. She was taken in and Mrs. Gilpin sent for her. When she arrived the child was undressed and her body found to be covered with welts and scars from having been beaten.

Her fingers and palms were seared with burns.

She was almost dead from fright and exposure, but after being cared for told in childish talk how Chartrand two weeks previously had called to her and because she did not immediately respond had beaten her on the face and body, and at another time placed her hands in a hot stove to punish her for some childish fault.

Saturday morning Chartrand, in jail, denied that he had slapped her once or twice for being naughty.

When asked how the child's eyes had been blacked, he said they were in that condition when she came to his house, six weeks ago.

He says that her fingers were burned in lighting his pipe. When he was home in the evenings the child always begged to be allowed to do it. She would light a paper at the stove and hold it over the pipe while he puffed at it, he said. Sometimes, he said, she allowed the child to hold the pipe too close to her fingers and burned them. Sheriff Cappel says that the child's hands give evidence of having been placed on hot iron.

LAND FRAUDS ARE CHARGED

Ex-United States Attorney Hall of
Portland Is Indicted for Al-
leged Conspiracy.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 11.—Ex-United States Attorney John Hall, who was indicted yesterday by the federal grand jury, is charged with conspiring to obstruct justice to prevent and obstruct the free passage over and free use of public land situated in Wheeler county.

It is also alleged that threats of violence and other means of intimidation were used to drive legitimate householders already settled on the land from the vicinity.

Among the defendants named in addition to Attorney Hall are Congressman Singer Hermann, Clark F. Loomis and nine others, all of whom, it is alleged, worked in the interest of the Butte Creek Land, Lumber and Livestock Co.

Go to Laughlin's, 7th and Locust, for good things to eat. After theater service a specialty.

WOMAN HELPED IN ROBBERY.

Illinois Man Says Negroes Took
\$106 From Him.

Fred Peters of Memphis, Ill. says he was slugged and robbed by a negro and negro early Saturday morning while on his way from Union Station to 2843 Manchester avenue, where he is living while in the city.

Peters was walking west on Market street. While he was passing dark negroes way between Twenty-third street and Jefferson avenue. He told the police, a negro, who was standing in the shadows, felled him with a club by striking him on the back of the head.

As he a negro ran out and sat on his arms and head while the negro rifled his pockets, taking \$106.

Peters reports the robbery to the police and gave a good description of his assailants. They have not yet been arrested.

Diamonds the Best Savings Bank.
You can pay for one just as you would put a little money in bank monthly—please call. Diamonds will pay 20 per cent in increased values in 1905. Investigate. Lofis Bros. & Co., 20 floor, 308 North Sixth street.

GOULD PARTY OFF FOR MEXICO

Railroad Magnate Spends One Day
in St. Louis.

George J. Gould and party, after spending one day in St. Louis, left Friday night over the Iron Mountain Railroad for the South, and probably a trip into Mexico, where an inspection of Gould properties will be made. Mr. Gould said that it was impossible to tell where the trip would take, but he would probably spend a day in New Orleans. In the Gould party are Nicholas R. H. Russell, Mrs. Stewart daughter, Mrs. Gould and E. J. J. J.

Valentine, Valentine.

New novelties, largest and most complete assortment in city. Philip Roeder, bookseller and stationer, 615 Locust st.

FEW HELD IN WINEROOM RAIDS

Raids were made by the police Friday night on the Tivoli saloon at 3215 Olive street and the Palma garden at 3223 Olive street. Two women were arrested in each place, but were released on bonds to appear in police court Saturday.

At the Tivoli it is said no intoxicating drinks are sold to women, and that they are not liable to prosecution. Since the beginning of police raids on winerooms the Palma garden has been conducted by the Palma Amusement and Catering Co., the company having been incorporated.

No torture compares to that of a rheumatic. Prescription No. 263 by Rimer & Amend quickest relief of all.

Unemployed Man Takes Morphine

James Bailey, aged 35, of 1801 Wash street is at the city hospital suffering from morphine poisoning, said to have been taken with suicidal intent. Mrs. Bailey told the physician that she was awakened Friday night by her husband's heavy breathing and being unable to breathe she called an ambulance to take him to the hospital. She said he was dependent over him to secure employment. Bailey was a traveling salesman for a

WILLIAM GOLDSTEIN DIES AT HOME

William Goldstein, president of the Mercantile Realty and Investment Co., died Saturday morning at his home, 1060 Washington avenue.

Mr. Goldstein had lived in St. Louis about 40 years and was prominent in business. He amassed a large fortune and of late years had not taken as active an interest in business as he formerly did.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.

"First in everything."

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—Fire early today swept through the seven-story brick building occupied by the Central Electric Co., 264-70 Fifth avenue, causing a loss of more than \$500,000. The large floors, filled with electrical appliances, made ready fuel for the flames.

The fire is said to have started on the fourth floor from crossed electric wires. The hydrants in the vicinity were frozen, and some time was lost by the firemen in getting streams of water on the structure.

Office of Board of Election Commissioners.

The Board of Election Commissioners hereby gives notice of the time and places for the registration of voters in the city of St. Louis, Mo., and of the polling places in each of the election precincts into which the city is divided, for the election to be held on the 4th day of April, 1905.

The registration of voters in each of said precincts will be on Thursday, Feb. 16, 1905, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 10 o'clock p. m.:

WARD 1.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 4132 N. Broadway.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 4830 N. Broadway.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 5130 N. Broadway.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 6302 N. Broadway.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 8051 N. Broadway.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 8222 N. Broadway.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 2000 E. Warme avenue.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 4833 N. Broadway.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 4004 Blair avenue.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 1934 E. Grand avenue.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 2101 E. Clear avenue.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 4907 Florissant avenue.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 5336 Florissant avenue.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 4292 Kosuth avenue.
Precinct 15—Registration Office, 4141 N. Newstead avenue.
Precinct 16—Registration Office, 4402 Elm-bank avenue.
Precinct 17—Registration Office, 4137 Natural Bridge road.

WARD 2.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 1923 N. 9th street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 1955 N. Broadway.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 2206 N. Broadway.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 2918 N. Broadway.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 3500 N. Broadway.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 3902 N. Broadway.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 3710 Blair avenue.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 3222 N. 11th street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 2921 N. 9th street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 2403 N. 9th street.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 2019 N. 14th street.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 3139 N. 14th street.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 1428 Angelrod street.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 1504 Mal-linckrodt street.

WARD 3.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 1029 N. Broadway.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 1824 N. Broadway.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 1403 N. 8th street.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 711 Carr street.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 706 O'Fallon street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 818 Mul-lanphy street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 1403 N. 8th street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 1508 N. 11th street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 1009 O'Fallon street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 1107 Bid-dle street.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 1106 O'Fallon street.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 1433 N. 14th street.

WARD 4.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 213 Chest-nut street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 925 N. Broadway.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 817 N. 7th street.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 706 N. 9th street.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 611 Chest-nut street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 1122 Locust street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 1013 Frank-lin avenue.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 594 N. 14th street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 309 N. 16th street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 1734 Franklin avenue.

WARD 5.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 403 S. 2d street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 125 Elm street.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 312 S. 4th street.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 822 S. 4th street.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 206 S. Broadway.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 609 Walnut street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 821 Walnut street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 7 S. 9th street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 20 N. 10th street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 218 S. 14th street.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 1407 Spruce street.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 1306 Mar-ket street.

WARD 6.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 225 Lon-bard street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 712 S. 4th street.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 1017 S. Broadway.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 513 Hick-ory street.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 1012 S. 8th street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 810 S. 7th street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 1213 Chou-teau avenue.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 1120 S. 9th street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 1233 S. 7th street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 1210 S. 11th street.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 1009 S. 11th street.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 1336 Hick-ory street.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 1101 St. Ange avenue.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 925 S. 14th street.
Precinct 15—Registration Office, 1500 Gra-tuit street.
Precinct 16—Registration Office, 801 S. 14th street.

WARD 7.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 1828 S. 2d street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 309 Barry street.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 1702 S. 3d street.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 317 Lafay-ette avenue.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 1303 S. 3d street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 606 Park avenue.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 1500 S. 7th street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 3418 S. 7th street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 1702 S. 10th street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 1308 Park avenue.

WARD 8.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 1516 S. 12th street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 1216 La-fayette avenue.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 1838 S. 12th street.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 1514 Park avenue.

WARD 9.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 3436 S. Broadway.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 161 St. Louis street.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 404 Vic-tor street.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 2302 S. Broadway.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 912 Wy-oming street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 3403 Lem-py street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 2005 Utah street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 1329 Ar-tesian street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 1318 Lynch street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 2807 Mis-souri avenue.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 2906 Fair avenue.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 2302 Cher-okee street.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 3406 Illi-nois avenue.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 3687 S. Broadway.

WARD 10.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 4018 S. Broadway.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 2650 S. Broadway.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 2640 S. Broadway.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 2618 S. Broadway.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 3857 S. Broadway.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 3757 S. Broadway.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 2704 Utah street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 3153 Tex-as avenue.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 2662 Gra-vois avenue.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 2804 Gra-vois avenue.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 3203 Ne-braska avenue.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 3355 Iowa avenue.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 3745 Cal-ifornia avenue.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 3202 Mer-cader street.
Precinct 15—Registration Office, 2509 Ne-braska avenue.
Precinct 16—Registration Office, 3609 Ne-braska avenue.
Precinct 17—Registration Office, 3145 Pennsylvania avenue.
Precinct 18—Registration Office, 3418 Cherokee street.

WARD 11.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 8311 O'Reilly avenue.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 7718 S. Broadway.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 7403 S. Broadway.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 6817 S. Broadway.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 427 Bates street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 4605 S. Broadway.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 3208 Dako-ta avenue.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 4114 Gra-vois avenue.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 6202 Mich-igan avenue.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 6649 Ala-bama avenue.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 7153 Ver-mont street.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 338 W. Stein street.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 114 W. Courtland street.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 7925 Min-nesota avenue.
Precinct 15—Registration Office, 3675 French avenue.

WARD 12.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, S. W. cor-ner 12th and Victor.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 1222 Lam-bert street.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 1208 Rus-sell avenue.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 1841 S. 14th street.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 2022 S. 18th street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 1833 Lam-bert street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 1915 Lynch street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 2903 Mc-Nair avenue.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 2218 Victor street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 2101 Shen-andoh avenue.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 1912 S. Jefferson avenue.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 2113 Cal-ifornia avenue.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 2615 Gra-vois avenue.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 2305 Nebraska avenue.
Precinct 15—Registration Office, 1727 Michigan avenue.
Precinct 16—Registration Office, 2600 Vir-ginia avenue.

WARD 13.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 1854 Park avenue.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 1619 Park avenue.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 1926 Hick-ory street.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 1022 Ar-mstrong avenue.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 2312 Chou-teau avenue.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 1101 S. Jefferson avenue.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 2719 Hick-ory street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 2739 Park avenue.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 2732 Park avenue.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 1617 S. Jefferson avenue.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 1915 S. Jefferson avenue.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 2714 Jefferson avenue.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 1554 Lafayette avenue.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 2901 Hick-ory street.
Precinct 15—Registration Office, 2017 Hick-ory street.

WARD 14.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 110 N. 12th street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 109 S. 15th street.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 115 N. 15th street.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 7 N. 19th street.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 2112 Clark street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 2108 Clark street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 2104 Mar-ket street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 2304 Mar-ket street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 2304 Mar-ket street.

WARD 15.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 304 S. Jef-ferson avenue.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 2306 Mar-ket street.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 2306 La-fayette avenue.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 2306 Man-chester avenue.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 2718 Clark avenue.

WARD 16.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 1459 O'Fal-lon street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 1221 Cass avenue.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 1118 Wash-ington street.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 1901 Blair avenue.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 1449 N. 16th street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 1400 N. 16th street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 1709 Di-vision street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 1807 Cass avenue.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 1839 1/2 Bid-dle street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 1903 O'Fallon street.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 2021 O'Fallon street.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 1230 N. 20th street.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 1421 N. 20th street.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 1127 N. 20th street.
Precinct 15—Registration Office, 2323 Dick-son street.

WARD 17.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 1863 Mad-ison street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 1910 Mad-ison street.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 2141 Cass avenue.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 2400 N. 23d street.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 2624 N. 23d street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 2709 N. 23d street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 3018 N. 23d street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 3539 N. 23d street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 3518 Palm street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 3915 N. 25th street.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 2534 A. St. Louis avenue.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 2306 How-ard street.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 2555 North Market street.

WARD 18.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 2417 A. St. Louis street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 1224 Wright street.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 2944 N. 16th street.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 1327 North Market street.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 1326 Mon-roe street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 1440 North Market street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 1454 War-ren street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 2718 Blair avenue.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 1910 Do-dge street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 2311 N. 20th street.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 2700 N. 19th street.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 1906 North Market street.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 2208 N. 15th street.

WARD 19.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 1948 Branch street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 3605 N. 20th street.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 1901 New-house avenue.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 4259 N. 20th street.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 2022 Bre-men avenue.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 2317 Bre-men avenue.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 2301 St. Louis avenue.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 3326 Nat-ural Bridge road.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 2902 Bal-ley avenue.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 4204 Pleasant street.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 3743 Lee avenue.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, Vande-venter and Natural Bridge road.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 3906 Lee avenue.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 4144 Clay avenue.

WARD 20.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 719 N. Leffingwell avenue.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 821 N. Leffingwell avenue.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 1205 N. Leffingwell avenue.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 1401 N. Leffingwell avenue.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 1513 N. Leffingwell avenue.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 2817 Mad-ison street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 2025 N. Leffingwell avenue.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 2847 Mont-gomery street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 2903 Cass avenue.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 2516 Cass avenue.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 2835 Thomas street.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 2807 Thomas street.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 3003 Thomas street.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 3004 North Market street.

WARD 21.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 725 N. Ewing avenue.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 1004 N. Garrison avenue.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 2150 East-on avenue.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 1404 Fran-cis street.
Precinct 5—Registration Office—1822 N. Grand avenue.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 2408 N. Grand avenue.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 1506 N. Grand avenue.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 2615 East-on avenue.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 3308 East-on avenue.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 2307 Morgan street.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 718 N. Spring avenue.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 2841 Fin-ney avenue.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 2802 Park boulevard.

WARD 22.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 213 N. 23d street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 214 Franklin avenue.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 2206 Wash-ington street.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 2821 Mor-gan street.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 2811 Olive street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 2811 Olive street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 2811 Olive street.

WARD 23.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 371 Chou-teau avenue.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 2302 Bern-ard street.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 2540 Scott avenue.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 2540 Man-chester avenue.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 2323 Man-chester avenue.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 3501 Clark avenue.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 3021 Ad-ams street.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 3401 La-fayette street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 1409 S. Compton avenue.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 1513 S. Compton avenue.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 2544 Park avenue.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 3723 Chou-teau avenue.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 309 S. Grand avenue.

WARD 24.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, Morgan-ford road and Meramec street.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 2105 Oak 1st avenue.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 2302 S. Grand avenue.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 1803 S. Grand avenue.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 4134 Blaine avenue.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 1414 Tow-er Grove avenue.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, Tow-er Grove and Folsom avenues.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 4302 Jun-iata street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 4302 Ar-senal street.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, Macklin and Old Manchester avenues.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 1919 Coop-er avenue.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 3505 Man-chester avenue.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 4250 Pa-mous avenue.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 3250 O'Leary avenue.
Precinct 15—Registration Office, 1383 Tamm avenue.
Precinct 16—Registration Office, 6027 Bruno avenue.
Precinct 17—Registration Office, 6754 Man-chester avenue.

WARD 25.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 4065 Man-chester avenue.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 3305 Clay-ton avenue.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 5 S. Van-deventer avenue.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 3 N. Spring avenue.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 3609 Olive street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 3822 Olive street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 637 N. Vandeventer avenue.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 1908 N. Sarah street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 1113 N. Vandeventer avenue.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 1937 W. Whitaker street.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 913 N. Sa-rah street.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 428 Olive street.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 418 La-cade avenue.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 418 Grant-ville street.
Precinct 15—Registration Office, 426 Man-chester avenue.
Precinct 16—Registration Office, 1115 Tower Grove avenue.

WARD 26.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 3749 Cass avenue.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 3209 Gar-field avenue.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 3303 St. Ferdinand avenue.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, n. e. cor. Cottage and Vandeventer avenues.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 2651 N. Sarah street.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 1901 N. Sarah street.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 1413 N. Vandeventer avenue.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 1401 N. Sarah street.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 1322 Pen-dleton avenue.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 640 East-on avenue.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 3233 Good-son avenue.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 436 St. Louis avenue.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 436 St. Ferdinand avenue.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 4418 East-on avenue.
Precinct 15—Registration Office, 1309 N. Newstead avenue.
Precinct 16—Registration Office, 634 North Market street.

WARD 27.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 4022 East-on avenue.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 432 East-on avenue.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 4411 Manitt avenue.
Precinct 4—Registration Office, 475 St. Louis avenue.
Precinct 5—Registration Office, 475 East-on avenue.
Precinct 6—Registration Office, 475 East-on avenue.
Precinct 7—Registration Office, 2415 Wren avenue.
Precinct 8—Registration Office, 3317 Theo-dora avenue.
Precinct 9—Registration Office, 5044 East-on avenue.
Precinct 10—Registration Office, 5108 East-on avenue.
Precinct 11—Registration Office, 1611 Ste-wart place.
Precinct 12—Registration Office, 4305 East-on avenue.
Precinct 13—Registration Office, 434 East-on avenue.
Precinct 14—Registration Office, 5844 East-on avenue.
Precinct 15—Registration Office, 1809 East-on avenue.

WARD 28.
Precinct 1—Registration Office, 450 Man-chester avenue.
Precinct 2—Registration Office, 4401 Clar-ton avenue.
Precinct 3—Registration Office, 4001 Mont-icelli street.
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WARD 29.
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 cences. (6)
 TNUST ST., 1411-Desirable furnished room,
 week up; gentlemen only; pleasant land-
 room; reputable. (7)
 TEAU AV., 1109-Large room, completely
 furnished for housekeeping; \$2.25 week; other
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TEAU AV., 1012—Rooms for light housekeeping; furnished, \$1.25 up; unfurnished, 75c. Kinloch phone 10394. (3)

TEAU AV., 1112—Large front room, con- for housekeeping; bath, laundry; also con- rooms for housekeeping; \$3.50 week.

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TON AV., 2705—Two basement rooms, furnished for light housekeeping; also other rooms. (6)
MAN ST., 3422—Two unfurnished rooms; \$10. (6)
TON AV., 1011 N.—Furnished front room; net week; first floor.
TON AV., 14 N.—Nicely furnished small room on 2d floor; gas, bath and heat.

AV., 3621—Nicely furnished rooms; all
enclaves; from \$2 per week up. (7)
ON ST., 2829—Two unfurnished rooms; ref-
ees required. (7)
AR BL., 4322—Pleasant rooms; private
ly. (6)
AR BL., 4118—Third-floor front room, for
3 gentlemen; reasonable. (7)

SON ST., 2360—Front and back parlor, with
s; complete for housekeeping; private kitchen;
steam; reasonable. (6)

SON ST., 1307—Neatly furnished rooms for
or two guests.

SON AV., 3119A—Two furnished front rooms;
bath; cheap; no light housekeeping. (7)

FIFTH ST., 1122 N.—Nice, y furnished

TEENTH ST., 825 S.—Newly furnished for light housekeeping or guests; \$2 up.

TEENTH ST., 1118 N.—One very nice furnished room; 2 gentlemen; gas; private fam. (9)

TEENTH ST., 815 S.—Elegantly furnished sleeping rooms, for light housekeeping; water closet; also small room. (7)

1211 ST., 840 S.—Furnished rooms; \$2 per
L.
1211 ST., 911 S.—Light housekeeping and
furniture; neat and new; \$1.25 up. (7)
1211 ST., 2100 N.—Nice large front room,
furnished complete for light housekeeping; no
bath. (7)
1211 ST., 3650 S.—Two furnished
rooms; laundry range; gentlemen or
ladies. (7)

KLIN AV., 3501—Neatly furnished room for

KLIN AV., 3037—Nicely furnished front
; bath, gas, heat; private family; reas.
KLIN AV., 1500—Neat front room; gentle-
or housekeeping; \$2 and up; other rooms.
KLIN AV., 3316—Nicely furnished second-
front; all conveniences; also light house-
rooms.

LE ST. 2823—Furnished room for one or gentlemen; gas, bath, hot water and heat; housekeeping if desired. (7)

J. EPWORTH—Rooms, \$3 per week up; Sub-Sinker entrance to the door. (8)

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DE AV., 3217A—Two connecting rooms for housekeeping; gas and bath.

F ST. 2612-Furnished rooms, with gas, and telephone service; D164. (6)
F ST. 2812-Furnished room for light keeping; hail room. \$1 per week; gas. (7)
F ST. 2715-Nicely furnished rooms; especially to gentlemen employed down- (8)
F ST. 2805-Comfortable burnable rooms

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place for good fellows. (6)

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price. Hotel EdwORTH. (7)

AV., #18—Nice rooms and baths, 30c and
dily: \$1.20 and \$1.50 weekly. (8)

AV., 3420—A few choice rooms, at the
convenient house; rates reasonable. (9)

AND AV., 4130—Nicely furnished rooms, to \$7.50 per week each; 2 in a room. (7)

AND AV., 4232—Well-heated rooms for men or couples; reasonable; own home; (7)
aces.
OMERY ST., 1436—Three connecting rooms, for light housekeeping; bath, gas; (7)
ildren.
N ST., 5008—Small private family; have (8)
om for gentlemen.
N ST., 1021—Near front rooms; heat fur-

also housekeeping rooms, 1st floor, \$2.50.
N ST., 2800—Two connecting 24-story
apartments, completely furnished for house-
keeping. (7)
NINTH ST., 312 N.—Vacant room. (7)
N ST., 114½ N.—Rooms, nicely furnished,
men only; references required; terms rea-
sonable. (8)

ST. 2801—Five large rooms, furnished and heated; 23, foot. (5)

ST. 1615—Furnished rooms for house-also other rooms, with heat. (7)

ST. 2815—One front and connecting rooms at housekeeping, third-floor bat. (5)

ST. 3744A—Elegantly furnished rooms; heat; private family; large room. (7)

ST. 1410--Furnished large front rooms for persons; others for housekeeping. (7)

ST. 2706--Single and double rooms, with heat and hot baths; very reasonable. (1)

ST. 2102--Clean, furnace-heated rooms; heat, gas; single room; very reasonable. (7)

ST. 2010--Single and connecting rooms, for housekeeping; other rooms; reasonable. (7)

T. 2710—Large, light front room, fur-
 nished for light housekeeping; bath; 22 week.
 T. 4032A—Furnished front rooms for
 two; all conveniences; private family; res-
 taurant.
 T. 3670—Two nicely furnished, warm,
 rooms; all conveniences; for gentlemen;
 single.

1310—Furnish rooms, also; convenient
people with children preferred; other
suitable. (5)

1315—Two pleasant, warm rooms, sin-
gle or double; reasonable; refs. (5)

1318—Newly furnished rooms; hot
water; \$1.50 and up. (5)

1415—Furnished rooms for boarders;
other rooms; \$1 up. (1)

2700—Warm, well-furnished front
apartment; prices to suit the times; the
3420—Lovely second-story front apart-
ment; furnace heat; reasonable. 20
1317-A—Elegantly furnished large apart-
ment; \$1 each week; also front apart-
ment.

FEAR OF DEATH STAYED FOOTPAD

Woman Mission Worker Warned
Him of Divine Wrath If He
Harmed Her.

GRABBED HANDBAG AND RAN

Negro Had Mrs. Adams Pinioned
in His Arms and Terror of Her
Words Probably Saved Her.

Mrs. D. F. Adams is at her home in East St. Louis recovering from the effects of an encounter with a negro highwayman.

Her escape from greater harm Mrs. Adams attributes to the awe and terror with which the heart of the negro was struck when she declared to him that there was a God in heaven who would strike him dead if he did not desist.

Mrs. Adams is a field worker connected with the East St. Louis branch of Union Mission in St. Louis. She makes it a practice to visit saloons at night in the line of her work.

She left her home at 714 North Fifteenth street at 6 o'clock Friday night to go to the mission. She stopped at several State street saloons, and intended to take a car at Tenth street and Broadway. She missed a car there, and rather than wait for another she decided to take a short cut across to the mission, which is at 912 South Eleventh street.

She went down Tenth street and crossed the Southern railway track. She heard a step behind her, but before she could turn a negro threw his arms around her and pinioned her arms.

Struggling to get away from him, she exclaimed: "There's a God in heaven, who will strike you dead if you harm me."

The negro's grasp relaxed. He was frightened by the intense words of the woman. "That's so," he might, he said.

He did not offer further violence, but grabbed a handbag which was hanging from Mrs. Adams' wrist, in which was \$9 cents, jerked it from her wrist, and ran through an alley.

Mrs. Adams ran to Tenth street and Trembley avenue, where she overtook some boys. The reaction came then, and she would have fallen if one of them had not caught her. Another went into a grocery store on the corner and the groceryman and his wife came out and took her inside. There she fainted and was unconscious for 10 minutes.

In the meantime word had been telephoned to the police station and the woman's husband had been summoned from the mission. She was then taken to her home, after she had given Detective Neville a description of her assailant.

During the night detectives raided two negro establishments and arrested a number of suspects. Mrs. Adams will be taken to the police station during the afternoon to see if she can identify her assailant among the men.

UNITED RYS. DEAL COMPLETED MONDAY

Announcement of Terms of Trans-
fer to North American by
Brown Bros. Expected.

BIG STOCK SALES ON RISE

Due to Belief That North Ameri-
can Syndicate Agrees to Guar-
antee Dividends.

The closing of the details of the transfer of the United Railways Co. to the North American Co. are practically completed and the announcement of the terms of the purchase of the common stock are expected from Brown Bros. & Co. in New York not later than Monday.

The cause for the delay was made apparent in the financial district yesterday when United Railways preferred stock, which had closed on the stock exchange at \$20 bid, was in active demand on the street at \$20 and \$21. In all 235 shares changed hands.

It is understood that arrangements had been made by Brown Bros. & Co. to place a large line of preferred stock held by the interests as underwriters, with an eastern syndicate provided that Brown Bros. & Co. could prevail on the North American company to guarantee the dividend on United Railways preferred stock.

It is stated that Brown Bros. & Co. had refused to transfer the control in United Railways common stock to the North American Co. unless this dividend was guaranteed, and on this account the closing of the negotiations between the two companies has been delayed.

Owing to the circulation of this report the securities of the United Railways Co. were sharply depressed at the session of the local stock exchange yesterday. United Railways common losing five-eighths of a point at \$23, while Brown Bros. subscriptions offered to the extent of 14 points on sales of \$112.25.

At the session of the local stock exchange today United Railways preferred was purchased in enormous blocks. Closing at \$21 per share, a gain of nearly \$2 from the previous sale, the stock was taken in hand and followed sales at advances of 1/2 and 1 point at a time and the buying was not only satisfied.

The rise in the stock today is on the statement that the North American Co. have agreed to guarantee the dividend on United Railways preferred stock at the rate of 5 per cent per annum and all differences between the contracting parties to the transfer are now said to be removed.

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FAMILY EVICTED IN FREEZING COLD

Ejected Because Rent Was Not
Paid Landlady, Who Says
She Is Poor Widow.

"We didn't want to ask for charity. We didn't think we would be evicted so soon, and we expected to be able to pay our rent."

Thus did Mrs. Jane O'Fallon, mother of a three-months-old child and daughter of Mrs. Lena Fegen, 33 years old, explain why the family did not appeal to church or charity organizations to prevent their eviction from home, without money, food or fuel.

The family lived in one room and a kitchen in the rear of 1112 North Eleventh street. With them lived a younger daughter of Mrs. Fegen, Annie, 10 years old, who is being treated for tonsillitis.

They were evicted, with their furniture, at 6 o'clock Friday afternoon, when the temperature was but a few degrees above zero. Their one kitchen stove, their tables, beds, chairs, rug, washstand, dresser with its cracked mirror, bed clothing and cooking utensils were piled in Eleventh street, completely blocking the sidewalk and all but interfering with the passage of the southbound Bellefontaine cars.

Yielding to the cold and the persuasions of her neighbor, she went with her daughters and her little grandson into Mrs. Joseph's home.

There she spent the night.

Deputy Constable "Fish" McDama, of Justice Cullinan's court, made the eviction. The writ was sworn out by Mrs. Mary Schmetz, a widow, who lives in the same yard at 1114 North Eleventh street, on the second floor.

Mrs. Schmetz said:

"I had to put them out. I am a poor widow, with only the income from this little property to support me and my son. I was willing to take the money any way I could get it, but none was paid."

GAIVAN GIVEN A BERTH.

Appointed Execution Clerk in Cir-
cuit Clerk's Office.

William J. Gavigan, a member of the Jefferson Club and well known in Democratic politics, was Saturday appointed execution clerk in the office of Circuit Clerk Hauchschulte to succeed George Mappes, promoted to a deputy clerkship in Judge Ryan's division of the circuit court.

Mr. Gavigan was formerly connected with a St. Louis daily newspaper. About four years ago he obtained an appointment in the Board of Public Improvements. Later he went into business. He has taken an active part in the organization of the Democratic party. Circuit Clerk Hauchschulte made the appointment which was approved by the circuit judge.

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Admiralty Experts to Confer.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—Former Supreme Court Justice W. W. Goodrich, Brooklyn, will sail today as a delegate from the American government to a diplomatic conference at Brussels, of admiralty experts from all the maritime nations of the world, to be held April 11. The delegates have plenary powers to formulate a treaty between the maritime nations on the subject of collisions and salvage.

Mine-rais for Newsboys.

RECORD DEED THAT PROTECTS CHILD

Joseph Weigel and Wife Fear
Adopted Daughter May Be
Taken From Them.

LOVE LAVISHED ON WAIF

St. Ann's Asylum Deed Conveys
Possession of Christened One
for "Affection."

Mrs. Joseph Weigel, who has for five years given all her mother-love to fair-haired, blue-eyed Catherine Pye Weigel, her adopted daughter, is haunted by the dread that the child's parents or some one else may sometime come to claim her.

She and her husband, Joseph Weigel, who live at 123 North Fourth street, East St. Louis, have taken all the safeguards that they can devise against being robbed of the possession of the child they love as their own. They filed on record in the city of St. Louis, where they got the child when she was a tiny baby, "This deed conveys to them, for the consideration of 'adoption, love and affection' the possession of the child."

And yet Mrs. Weigel is afraid the little one may be taken from her.

"We do not know who Catherine's parents are," she said. "They may be dead; they may be living. We do not know that she has aunts or uncles, brothers or sisters."

"All we know is that five years ago I saw her in St. Ann's Asylum. I loved her, and asked that I might take her. She was given to us and the officials of the asylum gave us a deed to her."

"We have done for her all that we could do for our own child. If we had one, she does not know that she is not our daughter. She shall not know. If I can help it, until she is 16 years old, then I shall take her in my arms and tell her, and I know she will understand and love us none the less."

"She is a dear child, and pretty, and she will grow up to be a beautiful woman. I don't want to lose her. I don't want some one who does not love her nearly so much as I do to come and claim her and take her from me. I want her to be my daughter always."

"We did not have the deed recorded until Friday, because we did not think it necessary. We have kept it all the time. Friday my husband had to go to Belleville to be a witness in court. I will take the deed for Catherine," he said, "and have it recorded. It will be better," I said.

"I am afraid somebody will come and take her from us. That would break our hearts."

The deed transferring the child to Mr. and Mrs. Weigel is said to be the only one of its kind recorded in St. Clair County. In terms and phrases, it is similar to a deed transferring real estate or other property. Lawyers say it is unquestionably legal, and that no other papers of adoption are necessary.

REFUSES WHISKY AFTER CY BATH

Man, Said to Be Demented on Re-
ligion, Jumps Into River De-
termined to Die.

John Judice of 1230 St. Ange avenue, is in a serious condition at the City Hospital. From the results of a voluntary cy bath in the Mississippi river Friday afternoon.

Judge refused to drink whisky offered him by men who pulled him out of the river and for more than a half hour his life hung in the balance. Vigorous rubbing and exorcising, however, kept him alive until an ambulance arrived and took him to the hospital.

Judge is 42 years old and his friends say that he is mentally unbalanced on religious subjects. About 8 o'clock Friday afternoon he jumped off a dumbpost moored at the foot of Market street into eight feet of water, waving his arms and loudly proclaiming his determination to die. He floundered around in the cold water and attracted the attention of a watchman on the dumbpost.

The watchman's cries brought Capt. Thomas Cooney, John Walsh and Harry Mantion of the city harbor boat, Mark Twain, to the rescue. Capt. Cooney lifted Judge out of the water by his hair just as the drowning man was disappearing under the water for the third time.

He refused all stimulants when he was partly revived. Doctors at the City Hospital believe he will die from the results of his exposure.

Mrs. H. H. Earhart Dead.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

UNIONVILLE, Mo., Feb. 11.—Mrs. H. H. Earhart died yesterday, aged 70 years. Her husband and several children survive.

\$30.00 to Havana and return, via Mobile & Ohio R. R. and Munson Steamship Line, steamer "Saragota." Sailings from Mobile Tuesdays from New Orleans Saturdays.

For particulars apply at 515 Olive street.

Thrown on Head in Collision.

One Post in years of age, and living at 601 Plymouth avenue, is at his home in a serious condition as the result of an accident at 7:30 p. m. yesterday.

A suburban car, southbound, struck his team and wagon at the intersection of Wagner avenue and 511th street, his mules, injuring the other so badly that it had to be shot and damaged the wagon.

He was driving. The wagon and team were valued at \$350. Reid was thrown from the wagon by the collision and struck on his head.

NOT MEDICINE

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LOST SOLDIER FOUND L. FROM FEVER

Price Taylor Discovers Brother
Carlos in San Francisco
Hospital.

Price M. Taylor of 4300 Page boulevard, a ticket seller at the Union Station, returned from San Francisco Saturday, where he found his brother, Carlos Buell Taylor, a discharged United States soldier of the army in the Philippines, of whom the family had lost track, in a hospital.

Dec. 19 last Price Taylor was notified by the coroner at Belleville, Ill., that his brother had been found dead from asphyxiation in a hotel at that place. The coroner had identified him by a picture of the missing man and a description of him in a newspaper.

Price Taylor went to Belleville and viewed the body. While it bore a resemblance to the missing brother it was not he. Taylor then instituted an inquiry for his brother through the war department and learned that he had shipped from Manila to San Francisco.

A search through the hotels and public institutions of that city discovered Carlos Taylor in a hospital, convalescing from a severe attack of tropical fever. He was removed to a ranch to recuperate.

Price Taylor says that Carlos Taylor has filed charges against the army authorities in the Philippines for the neglect of patients in hospitals, which, he reports, is the cause of a great part of the mortality in the Philippines.

Mr. Taylor says that his brother reported to him that while ill from the fever he was compelled to drink. One day he dropped in the ranks and begged to be sent to the hospital. He was refused.

As soon as he has sufficiently recovered Carlos Taylor will go to Lexington, Ky., his home, and will press his charges against the officers in the Philippines with the war department in Washington.

"FAKE" FOOTRACERS TRAPPED

Chicago Man Causes Arrests After Losing \$5020.

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—James Ozello, a wine merchant and proprietor of a small hotel here, who was swindled out of \$5020 on a "fake" foot race at Clinton, Ill., has retaliated by inducing the "promoters" to visit Chicago on a pretext that he was ready to make another wager.

They were arrested and gave their names as Martin James Hall, Robert Curley and John Cummins.

Nearly \$500 in currency was found in Curley's possession.

A FELLOW FEELING

Why She Felt Lenient Towards the Drunkard.

A good deal depends on the point of view. A good temperance woman was led, in a very peculiar way, to revise her somewhat harsh judgment of the poor devil who cannot resist his cups and she is now the more charitable. She writes:

"For many years I was a great sufferer from asthma. Finally my health got so poor that I found I could not lie down, but walked the floor whilst others slept. I got so nervous I could not rest anywhere."

"Specialists told me I must give up the use of coffee—the main thing that I always thought gave me some relief. I consulted my family physician, and he, being a coffee fiend himself, told me to pay no attention to their advice. Coffee had such a charm for me that in passing a restaurant and getting a whiff of the fragrance I could not resist a cup. I felt very lenient towards the drunkards who could not pass the saloon. Friends often urged me to try Postum, but I turned a deaf ear, saying 'That may do for people to whom I tasted a more delicious cup of coffee! From that day to this (more than 2 years) I have never had a desire for the old coffee. My health soon returned; the asthma disappeared; I began to sleep well and in a short time I gained 20 pounds in weight."

"One day I handed my physician the tablets he had prescribed for me, telling him I had no use for them. He stayed for dinner. When I passed him his coffee cup he remarked 'I am glad to see you were sensible enough not to let yourself be persuaded the coffee was so wonderful. This is the best cup of coffee I ever drank'; he continued: 'the trouble is so few people know how to make good coffee.' When he got his second cup I told him he was drinking Postum. He was incredulous, but I convinced him, and now he uses nothing but Postum in his home and has greatly improved in health." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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Syrup of Figs has also met with the approval of physicians generally, because they know it is wholesome, simple and gentle in its action. We inform all reputable physicians as to the medicinal principles of Syrup of Figs, obtained, by an original method, from certain plants known to them to act most beneficially and presented in an agreeable syrup in which the wholesome Californian blue figs are used to promote the pleasant taste; therefore it is not a secret remedy and hence we are free to refer to all well informed physicians, who do not approve of patent medicines and never favor indiscriminate self-medication.

Please to remember and teach your children also that the genuine Syrup of Figs always has the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—plainly printed on the front of every package and that it is for sale in bottles of one size only. If any dealer offers any other than the regular Fifty cent size, or having printed thereon the name of any other company, do not accept it. If you fail to get the genuine you will not get its beneficial effects. Every family should always have a bottle on hand, as it is equally beneficial for the parents and the children, whenever a laxative remedy is required.

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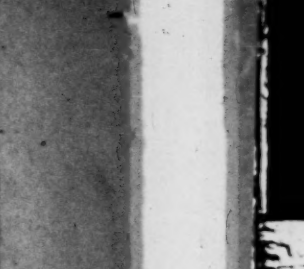
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